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**STERLING**  
*Quality*  
**SEEDS**

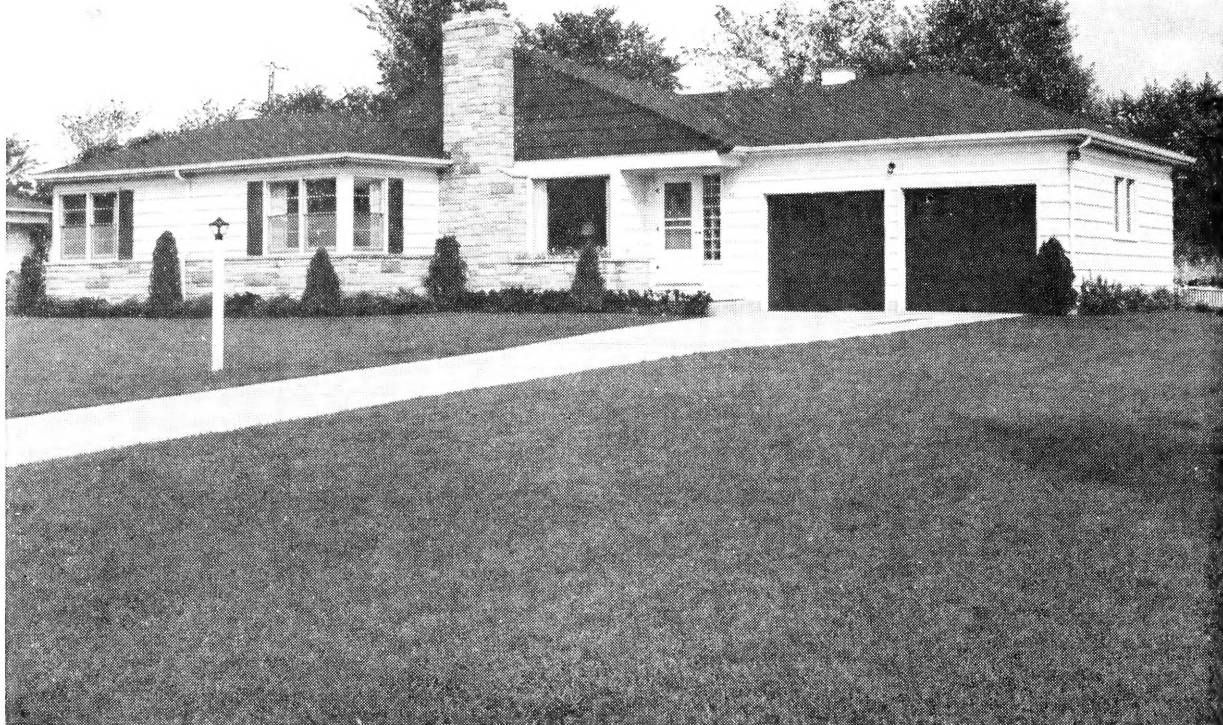


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269-271 Middle Street (In Monument Square)

**PORTLAND, MAINE**



## Sterling Quality LAWN MIXTURES

Sterling Quality Lawn Mixtures are blended according to our own formulas, using only pure unadulterated varieties of seed without the usual chaff or filler. We have a mixture for every purpose. For best results sow 1 lb. of seed to 200 square feet for a new lawn. To renovate an old lawn, one-half of that amount.

**Prices on Lawn Seed Subject to 3% Sales Tax**

**LAWN SEED TREATMENT** —From the DuPont Laboratory comes a new disinfectant—**Arasan**. A dusting of lawn seed with **Arasan** at the rate of 8 ozs. to 100 lbs. of seed, has proven that the stand of grasses has been increased very substantially. **1 oz., 60c; 8-oz. can, \$1.50.**

### "A. S. & L." Extra Fine Lawn Seed with Bent

**As Pure a Blend of Lawn Seed  
As You Can Buy!**

This is a mixture of low-growing grasses especially adapted to make a fine, carpet-like lawn. Each variety has a different period of luxuriant growth so that the lawn is a beautiful shade of green all summer. Our reputation for "the best lawn seed" was built on customers' satisfaction with "A. S. & L." Extra Fine Lawn Seed.

**Price: Lb., \$1.20; 5 lbs., \$5.75; 100 lbs., \$110.00.**

### "PARK" Mixture

Composed of solid, clean seed giving a fine effect for large areas where a carpet-like lawn is not necessary. While the grasses in this mixture are not as fine-bladed as in our "A. S. & L." yet to those who desire a strong, quick-growing lawn, we recommend Park Mixture.

**Price: Lb., 95c; 5 lbs., \$4.50; 100 lbs., \$85.00.**

### Special—"Merion Blue Grass" Lawn Mixture

A blend of this new "Wonder" Lawn Grass with Fescue and Bent—produces a very fine, velvety lawn. "Merion Blue" is expensive but **one** pound of this mixture is sufficient for an area of **400** square feet—twice the area of other mixtures.

**Price: Lb., \$2.25; 5 lbs., \$11.00.**

### "COTTAGE" Mixture

An economy blend for new seedings and quick results, which may be followed by filling in with a more permanent blend like our "A. S. & L." In spite of the low price, "Cottage" Mixtures will give good results where fine grasses are not desired.

**Price: Lb., 70c; 5 lbs., \$3.25; 100 lbs., \$60.00.**

### "SHADY PLACE" Mixture

A blend of extra strong grasses adapted especially for growth in shade or semi-shade.

**Price: Lb., \$1.00; 5 lbs., \$4.70; 100 lbs., \$90.00.**

# 1959 Catalogue

## of "Sterling Quality" Seeds

### Vegetable, Flower, Field and Lawn

Vegetable Seeds  
(Asgrow Bred)

Flower Seeds  
(Bodger Grown)

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#### WE'VE MADE IT "BETTER" FOR OUR CUSTOMERS!

*We are really proud of our enlarged store. It has given us the opportunity to display the many new items you expect to find in a Modern Garden Center.*

*We have also been told that our show-windows facing Middle Street are now very attractive.*

*A great deal of credit for all this is due our employees who worked long, hard, and enthusiastically to help make the changes.*

*This emblem means also that Parking near our store is no problem to our Customers. In fact, just across the street!*

*As stated above we hope, "We've made it 'Better' for our Customers."*

**Allen, Sterling & Lothrop**



#### IMPORTANT TO OUR PARCEL POST CUSTOMERS

##### Delivery —

**PARCEL POST** rates have increased to the point where we cannot absorb the charges on Peas, Beans and Corn at our catalogue prices. Kindly add P.P. charges at the rate of 23c for One Pound: 4c for each additional pound on **these three varieties only**.

**REMITTANCES** — Should be made by Check, Money Order or Registered Letter.

**ORDERS** — Should be written preferably in ink on our order sheet or on a blank sheet separate from letter. Be sure to sign your name and give address. Telephone orders will be given immediate attention. Call Portland: Dial SP 3-3874.

#### MAINE SALES TAX

**EXEMPT** — Vegetable Seeds, Grass and Field Seeds (when used for the promotion of Agriculture). All Fertilizers and Insecticides, also merchandise sent to Out of State customers.

**3% TAX** — Applies to Flower Seeds, and all allied lines. Kindly add amount of tax to your order.

**NON-WARRANTY** — Allen, Sterling & Lothrop warrants to the extent of the purchase price that seeds or bulbs sold are as described on the contained within recognized tolerances. Allen, Sterling & Lothrop gives no other or further Warranty, express or implied.

**Allen, Sterling & Lothrop**



## "Sterling Quality" Vegetable Seeds

A thoroughly up-to-date list of Vegetable Seeds particularly adapted to the climate of Northern New England. New disease resistant varieties and improved strains of the old favorites.

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For Beans by Parcel Post add Postage. See page 1.

**Important — Vegetable Seeds - State tax exempt.**

### Asparagus Seed and Roots

**Mary Washington Seed.** The best rust resistant variety of vigorous growth and excellent quality. The tips are tight and firm and do not open until well out of the ground. Recommended for the home and market garden.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

### Asparagus Roots

Plant that new asparagus bed **this** year using Gold Crown asparagus roots.

This thoroughly hardy and tasty strain of the popular Mary Washington variety should certainly be in the garden of every true asparagus lover.

**Plant now for next year!**

All weeds and grasses easily controlled with DuPont's **Telvar**.



### Rhubarb Roots

Strawberry variety. 30c each. \$3 doz.  
\$1.50 per bdl. of 25 roots.

### Beans — Bush

#### Green Podded

Culture—Plant in light, warm soil in the spring when danger from frost is past, in drills from 2 to 3 feet apart, covering about 2 inches deep. Sow every two weeks for a succession. Cultivate frequently, until they blossom, but only when the plants are dry.

Two pounds will plant 100 feet of drill.

**Asgrow Stringless Green Pod or Tender-green.** (53 days). A wonderful snap bean maturing early. Pods long, round, very meaty and of dark green color. This bean is absolutely stringless and of delicious flavor. Market gardeners will find this the most profitable green podded bean.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

**Bountiful.** (49 days). One of the most popular garden beans. Extra early and prolific, flat green pods, 6-7 in. long, very tender. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

**Burpee's Stringless Green Pod.** (52 days). Combines hardness, extreme earliness and productiveness. The pods are tender, brittle and of the finest flavor; always entirely stringless.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

**Plentiful.** (49 days). Medium green-podded, black-seeded. Stronger, rather heavy bush carrying a good set of pods. Stringless reminder of Bountiful.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

**Ranger** (56 days). A new type developed by Asgrow. Primarily a green pod variety, but provides excellent dry beans. Plant spreading and with half-runners, vigorous and very prolific. Pods round, mostly straight, stringless, silvery green, the set largely concentrated in the crown.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

**Topcrop** (52 days). New, green podded bean — immune to diseases, early maturing. Medium green, round, 6 in. pods, smooth and stringless of melting flavor. Splendid for canning and freezing.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; 1 lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.



**Beans — Bush****SHELL BEANS**

**Burpee's Improved Bush Lima.** (75 days). Larger than Burpee's Bush Lima, while the beans either green or dry, are nearly twice as thick and ready to market eight to ten days earlier.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

**French's Dwarf Horticultural** (54 days). Plants erect, compact and prolific. Pods very attractive with heavy splashing of deep carmine. A popular green shell variety for home and market gardens.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

**Low's Champion** (55 days). A superb New England bean for gardeners and canners. Plants erect, producing deep green, flat, straight, stringless pods of excellent quality.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

**FIELD BEANS**

**Improved Low's Champion.**  
½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00.

**Maine Yellow Eye Improved.**  
Lb. 45c; 2 lb. 80c; 15 lbs. \$5.25.

**Red Kidney.** Lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 15 lbs. \$5.25.

**Jacobs Cattle.** Lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 15 lbs. \$5.25.



**Kentucky Wonder  
Pole Bean**

**Beans — Pole**

Culture — Plant in hills 4 feet apart, 4 to 5 beans to a hill. Poles should be firmly set before planting.

**Kentucky Wonder, or Old Homestead.** (65 days). A long, green podded variety, very prolific and of fine quality and perfectly stringless.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c.

**Kentucky Wonder Wax.** (67 days). A very vigorous climber, producing long, 7-8 inches, waxy, yellow, nearly stringless, meaty pods. Plants are exceedingly prolific.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c.

**Italian Pole.** Considered by many as the finest flavored snap bean. Pods are fleshy and very tender.

Pkt. 20c; ½ lb. 45c; lb. 85c; 2 lbs. \$1.65.

**Worcester Horticultural.** (80 days). A mammoth form of the old-fashioned Horticultural Shell or Speckled Cranberry Bean. The best type of Horticultural Shell Bean. Pods heavy, splashed with red, about 7 in. long.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c.

**Beans — Bush****WAX PODDED**

**Pencil Pod Black Wax.** (55 days). Plants large, vigorous and productive. Pods, round, slightly curved, fleshy, golden yellow, absolutely stringless, excellent quality.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lb. 90c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

**Brittle Wax** (58 days). An outstanding variety for home use and canning. Pods attractive, medium yellow, slightly curved, round, extremely brittle, fleshy, succulent and stringless.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 35c; lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

**Improved Golden Wax** (51 days). One of the finest varieties for home garden plantings. Pods oval, light yellow, brittle, stringless and of good quality.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

**Sure Crop Stringless Wax** (53 days). A desirable sort. Plants very productive. Pods golden yellow, flat, brittle, strictly stringless, fine texture and quality.

Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 30c; lb. 50c; 2 lbs. 90c; 5 lbs. \$2.00.

**ARASAN - 75**

A Dupont disinfectant for treating corn, peas, beans and other vegetable seeds. Reduces decay of seed in the soil and protects plants from damping off.

1 oz. Pkg. 60c

**Beans by P.P. add 23c for one Pound - 4c for each additional pound**

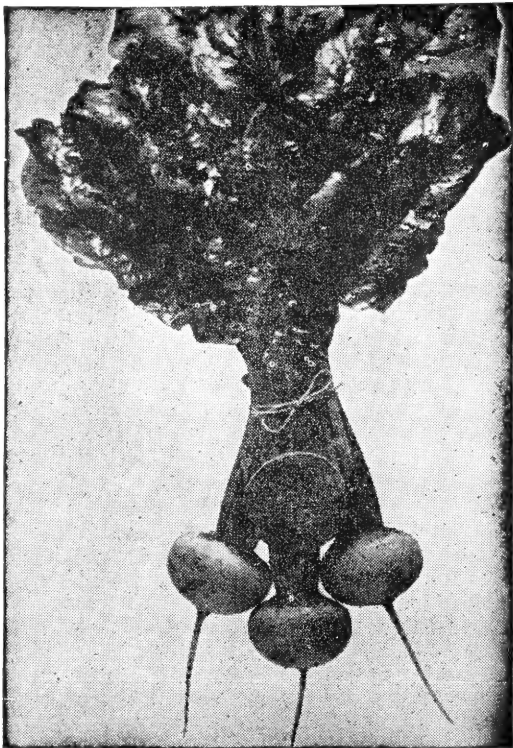
## Beet

Culture — Sow drills 15 inches apart, cover one inch. Thin out 4 inches apart in the rows.

One ounce to 50 feet or drill; six pounds to the acre.

**Asgrow Wonder.** (58 days). This outstanding strain is unsurpassed in earliness, uniformity and depth of interior color. Tops medium tall, roots semi-globular, deep red, smooth. Flesh purplish red, slightly zoned, tender and of highest quality. The best bunching variety.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.25; 1 lb. \$2.00.



**Asgrow Wonder Beet**

**Crosby's Egyptian** (60 days). The roots are flattened globe shape and smooth. Exterior color of root bright red. The flesh is red, zoned with a lighter shade, very sweet and tender.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.25; 1 lb. \$2.00.

**Detroit Dark Red.** (68 days). Tops are small, upright in growth. Root medium sized, globular or nearly round, very smooth, and of dark blood red color. Very desirable for bunching.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. \$1.25; 1 lb. \$2.00.

**Beets for Greens.** A rapid growing large topped variety especially suited to the production of beet greens.

1 lb. \$1.25; 10 lbs. \$10.00.

## Mangel Wurzel and Sugar Beets

Culture — Sow in drills 2 inches deep, about 2 feet apart, thin out to 10 inches apart, in the row. Six pounds to the acre.

**Mammoth Long Red.** This variety produces roots of mammoth size and is enormously productive. Yielding from thirty to forty tons per acre on well prepared land. oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$6.00.

**Golden Tankard.** Recommended for dairymen on account of its milk-producing properties. The flesh is a rich golden yellow. oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$6.00.

**Giant Feeding Sugar Beet or Half Sugar Mangel.** A strain of beets very desirable for stock feeding, having a high nutritive value, being especially rich in sugar. Roots light bronze green above ground, grayish white below with white flesh.

oz. 20c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. 85c; 1 lb. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$6.00.

## Swiss Chard

Culture — Same as beets, except plants should be thinned to 8-10 inches apart in the row. The leaves are used as greens. In harvesting remove only the outer leaves as the crown will soon produce a new crop.

**Fordhook Giant.** Leaves broad, upright in growth, very dark green, crumpled or savoyed, with broad, white mid-rib.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c; 1 lb. \$2.40.

**Lucullus.** Upright growth. Leaves yellowish-green, fairly crumpled, mid-rib and veins white.

**Rhubarb Chard.** The leaf-stalks are bright crimson; the rich color extends out through the veins into the dark green, heavily crumpled leaves. You will enjoy its different, tasty, delicious flavor.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 55c.

## Brussels Sprouts

Culture — Same as for cabbage. The sprouts resemble miniature cabbage and are very tender.

**Long Island Improved.** Undoubtedly the best and most dependable. Matures earlier — plants more dwarf and compact than other varieties.

Pkt. 20c; oz. \$1.00;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$3.00.

## Broccoli

Culture — Same as for cauliflower; does better in a cool climate.

**Italian Green Sprouting** (Christmas Calabrese). The plants produce a large, central, green head followed by numerous green sprouts. Very desirable, delicious and tender.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.15; 1 lb. \$3.50.

## Cabbage

**CULTURE**—Cabbage is an important crop and should be planted in fresh, rich soil, well manured and deeply dug or plowed. For early use sow in a hotbed in March, transplant to the open ground when danger from frost is past. Plant the early sorts about 18 inches in the rows and the late sorts about 2 feet in the rows and the rows about 3 feet apart. For the late crops sow in the open ground in June. Our cabbage seed is grown from selected stock and is equal to any offered in the market.

One ounce will produce about 2,000 plants.

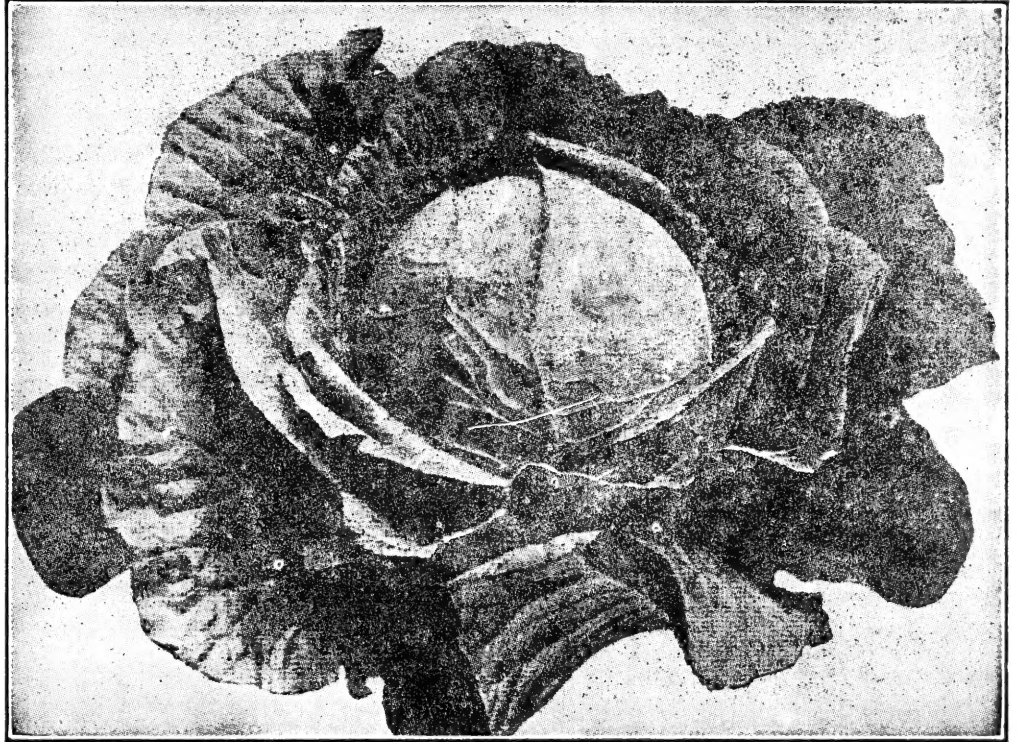
**Bonanza.** Small headed extra early cabbage that does not bolt. The heads become hard when no larger than a baseball and continue to increase in size for many weeks.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c;  
1 oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb \$2.00

**Globe, 80 days.** — Plant — 10 to 15 inches tall, large, vigorous, medium green. Head — 6 to 7 inches in diameter, weight 7 to 8 lbs., compact and globular.

A Yellows resistant glory of Enkhuizen. Developed in Wisconsin for use on Yellows infested soil. Used for kraut and shipping.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c;  
1 oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb \$2.00



**Copenhagen Market Cabbage**

**Danish Ball Head.** The leading variety for kraut, storage or shipping. Head deep, round, very hard; interior compact.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**Extra Early Copenhagen Market.** An extra early variety; heads ball shaped, large and solid, averaging about 10 pounds in weight. The most evenly maturing and large heading early cabbage.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**Golden Acre.** A popular early, round-headed variety of the Copenhagen Market type. Produces a uniform, tightly folded round, well blanched head of superb quality.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**Penn. State Ball Head.** A late variety. Plants medium with shore stem. Heads productive, flattened globe, extremely hard, 6-7 inches deep, 7-8 inches diameter, weighing 5-6 lbs. Productive, uniform, desirable for winter storage and kraut.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**Long Island Savoy.** Superior to the old-fashioned strains of Savoy cabbage. Although the heads are a trifle smaller, they are of excellent color and very sure of heading. The heads are exceedingly firm, very well blanched, crisp, tender and of superior quality.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**Red Acre.** One of the largest, most solid and compact of the red varieties. The heads are round, extremely hard, purplish red in color and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

### CHINESE OR CELERY CABBAGE

**Michili.** Refined strain with slender hard heads, so uniform that nearly every plant forms a perfect head.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.

**Chihili.** Good market variety, tall and slender, forming good heads 14 to 18 inches in length.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 40c; oz. 65c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.00.



## Carrot

Culture — Carrots do best in a good, light and rich soil. Sow in April or May for the early crop, and for the main crop sow in May or June in drills about  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch deep, rows 14 inches apart, and thin plants to 3 or 4 inches in the rows.

One ounce to 200 feet of drill; three pounds to an acre.

**Imperator, Long Strain** (77 days). Outstanding both as to bunching and busheling; has medium top growth; root 7 to 9 inches long; is slightly cylindrical in shape; has a very smooth surface and tapering shoulders. Its color is deep orange both inside and outside, and has a very indistinct core. Superior in appearance, quality and flavor.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 1.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.1.75; lb. 3.00

**Chantenay Red Cored** (72 days). An improved Chantenay, valuable for market gardeners and shipping. Roots similar to Chantenay with reddish orange flesh and an indistinct core of nearly the same color as the flesh; tender and sweet.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 1.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.1.75; lb. 3.00

**Danvers Long Strain.** (75 days). Dark orange color, growing very smooth, yielding large crops, and is a splendid keeper; roots medium length, tapering uniformly to a blunt point.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 1.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.1.75; lb. 3.00

**Hutchinson.** (80 days). A carrot of great length and cylindrical shape almost to the point, grows with tops slightly out of ground, a very heavy yielder per acre. Small circle of green on out of ground portion of root.

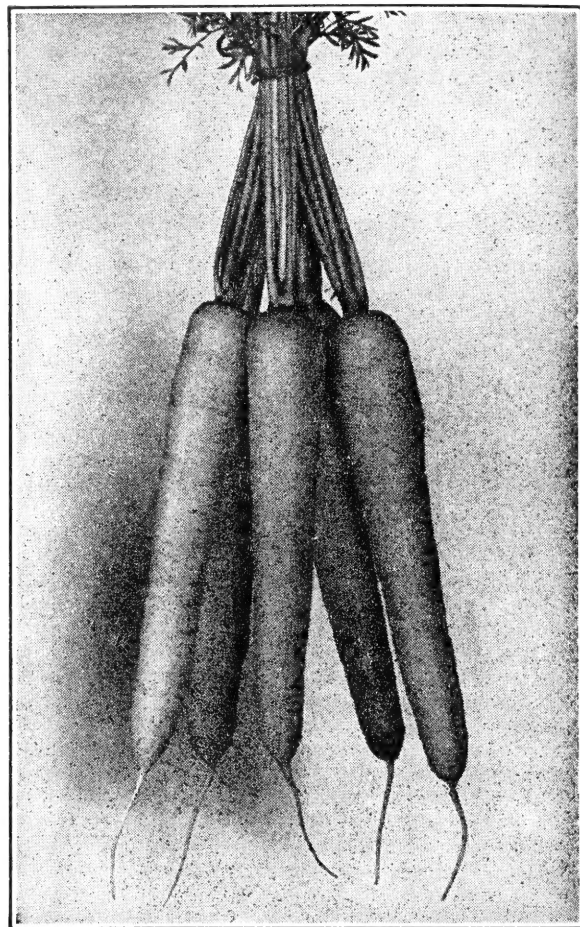
Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 1.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.1.75; lb. 3.00

**Improved Long Orange.** (88 days). Deep orange color, roots of large size and good keeper.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 1.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.1.75; lb. 3.00

**Nantes, Half Long Scarlet.** (70 days). Excellent for forcing, as well as for home and market gardens. Tops small. Roots bright orange, cylindrical, blunt ended. Flesh reddish orange, crisp, tender and sweet.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb 1.00;  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb.1.75; lb. 3.00



**Imperator — Long Strain**

## Cress or Peppergrass

Culture — Sow early in the spring on rich soil in drills 10 to 12 inches apart and make frequent sowing every two weeks. Cover seed about one quarter inch.

**Extra Curled.** Fine flavor, may be cut several times.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 25c; lb. 75c.

**Water Cress.** Sow in the spring near the margin of ponds or running streams.  
Pkt. 25c.

## ARASAN - 75

For vegetable, flower seeds and bulbs. Preserves seeds against rotting in cold, wet soils; controls damping-off or seedling blight and certain other seed-borne diseases. Helps promote increased germination, sturdier growth, larger yields, better grade produce.

1 ounce 60c

**We Pay the Postage on all Vegetable Seeds—**

**Not over 5 lbs. of each variety, with the exception of Peas, Beans and Corn. See page 1**

## Cauliflower

**Culture** — The Cauliflower is a member of the cabbage family and should be similarly cultivated.

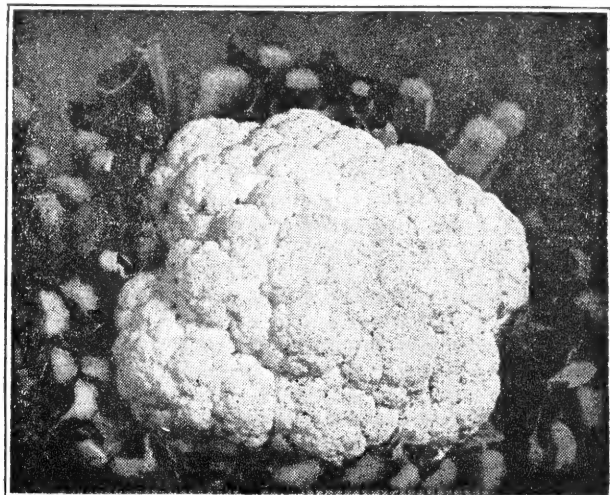
One ounce will produce 2,000 plants.

**Snowball.** A superb, outstanding, sure heading, very early, uniform strain of Cauliflower. The heads are medium large, solid and deep. Will cut 100% heads, grading better than 85% number one.

Pkt. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$2.75; oz. \$4.00.

**Super Snowball.** An early variety yet unexcelled for the late or main crop. The plants make a compact, dwarf growth and the heads are large, solid and snow white. Super Snowball is the very finest strain.

Pkt. 20c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  oz. \$1.50;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. \$2.75; oz. \$4.00.



**Super Snowball**

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## The Best Vitamins Are Home Grown

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## Celery

**Culture** — Sow the seed in a hotbed early in the spring. As soon as the plants are 3 inches high, transplant into frames in well-enriched soil 4 inches apart. Cut them once or twice before setting them out in May or June to make them stocky. When about six inches high transplant into trenches wide enough to hold two rows. The rows should be about 1 foot apart and the plants set about 8 inches apart. Winter celery should be earthed up to blanch, taking care not to cover the center of the plant.

**Giant Pascal.** For fall and winter use. Grows rapidly and a wonderful keeper. The stalks are of medium height, thick and solid, blanching to a beautiful yellowish white color.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 25c; oz. 45c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50

**Summer Pascal.** A vigorous, compact, green type, resistant to blight. Has more stalks than Giant Pascal, long, solid, crisp, stringless and altogether of excellent table quality.

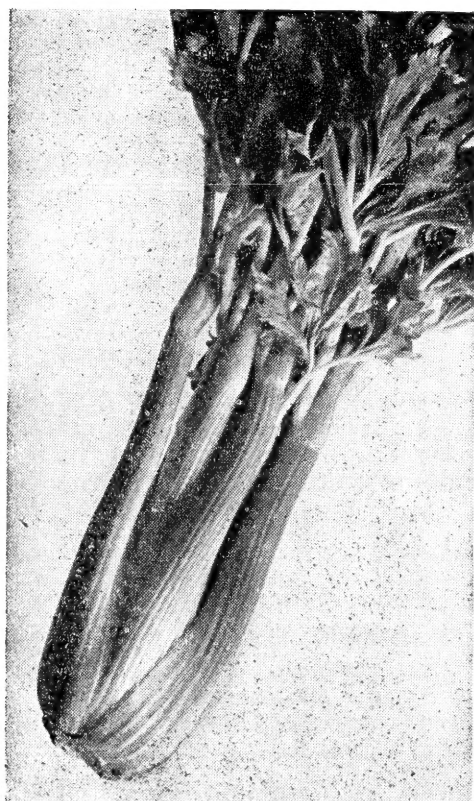
Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 70c; oz. \$1.20;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.00.

**Golden Self-Blanching.** The finest early celery grown, easily blanched and of excellent flavor, solid and crisp.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 70c; oz. \$1.20;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.00.

**Wonderful.** Of the Paris Golden family, but two to three times its size, very fine quality, and free from the stringy habit of the old Golden.

Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 70c; oz. \$1.20;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$4.00.



**Golden Self Blanching**

## Sweet Corn

Culture — Plant in hills 3 to 4 feet apart each way, dropping 6 seeds in each hill, or in drills 3 to 4 feet apart. The seeds should be covered about 2 inches. In this climate Sweet Corn should not be planted before the middle of May. One pound will plant 100 hills.

Please add Parcel Post Charges on  
Corn, Peas and Beans. See page 1

**HYBRIDS**

The greatest triumph of corn-breeding is in the development, through inbreeding and crossing of hybrids.

We list outstanding proven hybrids particularly adapted to Northern New England.

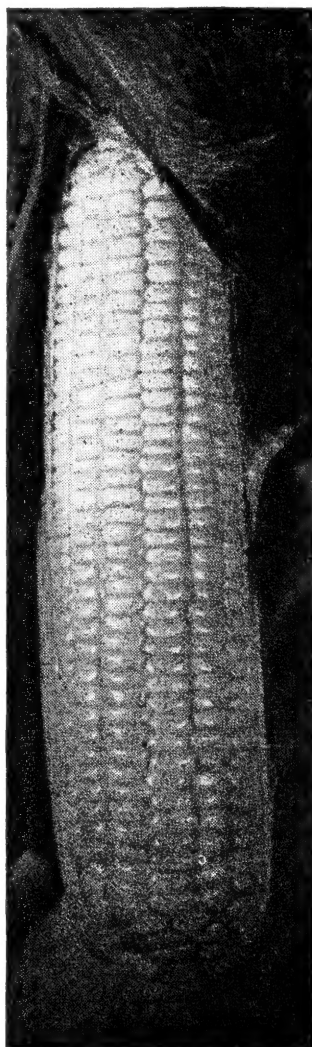
**Seneca Arrow.** (76 days). Outstanding new high quality hybrid sweet corn that we are introducing this year. Maturing ten days after Seneca 60 and fully a week before Seneca Chief it is nearly equal to our highly popular Seneca Chief in eating quality. Produces two good ears per stalk with tender, sweet, golden yellow kernels.  
½ lb. 50c; 1 lb. 90c; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.20.

**Seneca Beauty Hybrid.** (64 days). Experiment station trials show Seneca Beauty to be definitely superior to Golden Beauty in all of Beauty's fine characteristics - such as quality, yield, size of ear, etc. Plants 5-6 ft. tall. Excellent strain for market gardeners. ½ lb. 60c; 1 lb. 95c; 2 lbs. \$1.85; 5 lbs. \$3.40.

**Seneca Chief.** (86 days). Ears 9 inches long, 12 rowed with deep, narrow, exceptionally tender kernels. Holds its good eating condition longer than most varieties and is excellent for freezing. Seneca Chief will continue to produce good size second ears over a two week period which greatly lengthens the time you can pick quality corn for the table, freezing or market. Plants sturdy, leafy, 6½ to 7 feet tall. Resistant to bacterial wilt. ½ lb. 50c; 1 lb. 90c; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.20.

Seeds from hybrids should not be saved for reproduction.

**Seneca Golden** (72 days). Stalks 5½ feet tall and produce two marketable ears on practically every stalk. Ears nearly as large as Golden Cross and well filled clear to the tip. Kernels rich golden yellow and if harvested when ready are of excellent quality.  
½ lb. 50c; 1 lb. 90c; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.20.



Golden Cross  
Bantam

**HYBRIDS — continued**

**Golden Cross Bantam** (88 days). Very prolific and extremely uniform. Stalks sturdy, producing 10-14 rowed ears, slightly lighter in color than Golden Bantam. Kernels medium in depth and width. Excellent for market gardeners and canners. Highly resistant to bacterial wilt.

½ lb. 50c; 1 lb. 90c; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.20.

**Golden Rocket.** (68 days). Plants 5½ ft. tall, average 12 row — with yellow ear approximately 7½ inches in length. Quality excellent.

½ lb. 50c; 1 lb. 90c; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.20.

**Marcross 13 x 6.** (70 days). One of the earliest maturing hybrids and a very good variety for the first corn of the season. Thrifty plants, very resistant to wilt. Ears are medium large, 8-12 rowed and of good color.

½ lb. 50c; 1 lb. 90c; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.20.

**Northland.** (68 days). A very successful development of our own Maine Experiment Station. Northland is very early, hybrid, eight rowed corn. Especially valuable for our northern climate. Well worthy of a planting as the quality is excellent.

½ lb. 50c; 1 lb. 90c; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.20.

**Spancross C13-3.** (69 to 70 days). This is an extra early hybrid, has a medium sized ear of good quality. It is resistant to bacterial wilt and is also somewhat cold resistant. The plant is short and stocky, four to five feet tall with ears set low on the stalk.

½ lb. 50c; 1 lb. 90c; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.20.

**Top Cross Maine Bantam.** (82 days). An Asgrow hybrid particularly adapted for canners and gardeners in short season areas. Ear 6½ to 7 inches long, slightly tapered with 10 to 14 rows.

½ lb. 50c; 1 lb. 90c; 2 lbs. \$1.70; 5 lbs. \$3.20.

Corn by P.P. add 23c for one Pound - 4c for each additional pound.



## Sweet Corn — continued — Open - Pollinated

**Golden Bantam** (80 days). Plants 5½ feet tall, ears 6½ inches long, eight rowed. Stalks often have 2 ears. Kernels broad, tender, sweet and of exceptionally fine flavor. Pkt. 15c; ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

**Extra Early Bantam** (74-75 days). An earlier strain of Golden Bantam with 8-10 rows of kernels. The ear is about 7 inches long, very uniform, similar to Golden Bantam in size, shape and quality. It yields very heavily, beating most varieties to market. ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

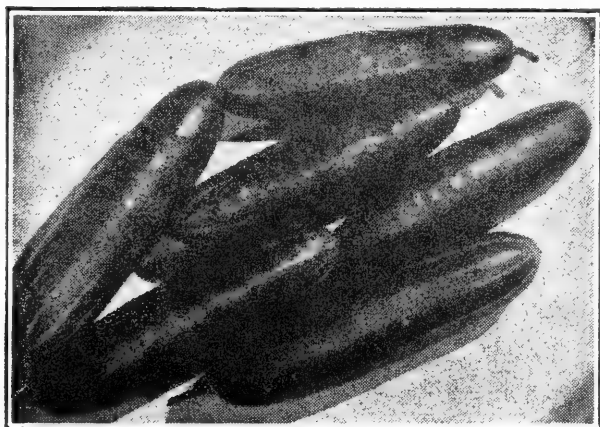
**A NOVELTY — Mason's Golden Midget** (68 days). A really fine, super quality, butter yellow Sweet Corn with miniature ears which are unquestionably as sweet as any you have ever tasted. The 3-foot high plants are just perfect for the home garden. Pkt. 35c; ½ lb. 75c; 1 lb. \$1.25.

**Golden Early Market** (75 days). One of the best extra early yellow varieties for home and market gardens. Plants 5 feet tall, ears 6 to 7 inches long. Ears 8 to 12 rowed, with golden yellow, medium, tender, sweet kernels of good quality. ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

**Golden Sunshine** (76 days). Plants 5½ feet tall, producing a good sized ear desirable for market garden use. Ears 7 inches long, 10 to 12 rowed, kernels medium broad, golden yellow, sweet, tender, of good quality. ½ lb. 35c; 1 lb. 60c; 2 lbs. \$1.00; 5 lbs. \$2.25.

## Cucumber

One ounce will plant fifty hills; two pounds will plant an acre.



**Clark's Special**

**Boston Pickling** (58 days). Largely planted for pickles. Fruit medium size, smooth, light green and very productive. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**Clark's Special — Long type** (63 days). For forcing or outdoors. This wonderful cucumber is from 9 to 12 inches long, small seed cavity and holds its deep dark green color both on the vine and after picking. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**Early Russian** (52 days). Vine - fast grower, leaves - medium dark green. Fruit - 5x2½ - 3 inches, slightly oval with rounded ends, smooth, medium green in color. Black spine. A first early picking variety most adapted to Northern short season areas. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**Highmoor** (68 days). Developed at the Maine Agricultural Station as a scab-resistant variety. Plant is vigorous with fruits 8 to 9 inches in length, cylindrical with nearly round ends, quite smooth, medium to dark green. Pkt. 20c; oz. 50.

**Improved White Spine** (67 days). The fruit is light green with white spines, uniform in size and very productive. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**Long Green** (70 days). An old standard variety. Fruit from 10 to 12 inches long, dark green and crisp. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**Maine No. 2.** A recent development of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station. This is a scab resistant Home Garden Cucumber of excellent quality. Color, shape and yield very satisfactory. Season of fruiting medium. Pkt. 20c; oz. 50c.

**Marketer** (65 days). Bronze Medal award A. A. S. Vines very vigorous and prolific; fruits slightly tapered to each end, very dark green in color, notably uniform and trim in appearance; an attractive cucumber for the early market. Pkt. 20c; oz. 50c.

**Straight-8.** (67 days). Fruits straight, cylindrical, well rounded at both ends. 1¾ to 2 inches in diameter, uniformly 8 inches long. Color deep green. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

**Wisconsin SR No. 6** (Spot Rot Resistant). Fruits are thicker and blockier than National Pickling, having a fine dark green color with few furrows showing in pickling stage. Developed by Dr. J. C. Walker, of the University of Wisconsin, it is highly spot-rot resistant, has a strong, vigorous vine, and yields well. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00.

### Dandelion

Culture — Sow in May in drills 12 inches apart; cover the seed  $\frac{1}{4}$  of an inch deep.

**Arlington Thick-Leaved.** A carefully selected strain; popular with market gardeners. Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$2.50.



Egg Plant — Black Beauty

### Egg Plant

Culture — Sow seeds in hotbeds very early in spring. Transplant in pots or hotbeds when true leaves appear. Set in open when weather is warm and settled.

**Black Beauty.** An excellent, prolific variety which is earlier and nearly as large as New York Improved. Fruits are nearly round and of a very dark purple. Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 35c; oz. 65c.

**New Hampshire Hybrid.** An extra early variety suitable for New England climate, producing fruits almost as large as Black Beauty. Pkt. 15c;  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. 50c; oz. 90c.

### Endive

Culture — For early use, sow in drills 15 inches apart as early in the spring as the ground can be worked. Transplant to 1 foot each way. When full grown tie the outer leaves at the top to blanch the heads.

**Deep Heart Fringed.** Green curled type but of more upright growth, with broader leaves and deeper hearts. Leaves are cut and curled at edges; ribs and heart are white. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$2.50.

**Green curled.** A standard sort for fall. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

**Broad-Leaved Batavian.** Grows very compact, very tender and of fine flavor. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c; lb. \$2.00.

### Kale

**Dwarf Green Curled Scotch.** A fine, low-growing variety, the leaves densely crimped and curled; very hardy and productive. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c.

### Kohl Rabi

Culture — Seeds should be sown in drills as early in the spring as possible. When well established thin to 6 inches apart.

**Early White Vienna.** A very early sort, excellent quality, flesh white and tender. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c.

### Leek

Culture — Plant in the spring in drills 1 foot apart. Cover the seed about 1 inch and thin to 9 inches apart in the drills. Draw earth up to them as they grow. One ounce of seed to 150 feet of drill.

**American Broad Flag.** A strong-growing sort with broad leaves. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 75c.

### Mustard

Culture—Sow thickly in early spring in shallow drills or in boxes during the winter. Successive sowing may be made every 10 days.

One ounce will sow about 75 feet of drill.

**Fordhook Fancy.** A handsome, upright growing, mild variety, slow to bolt seed stalks; leaves light green, plume-like, and deeply fringed on the edges; seed reddish brown. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**Spinach or Tendergreen.** A quick growing type of Oriental mustard, very desirable for those who like slightly pungent greens. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

### Water Melon

Culture—Plant in hills about 8 feet apart and cultivate the same as for Musk Melon.

One ounce for 30 hills; four pounds for one acre.

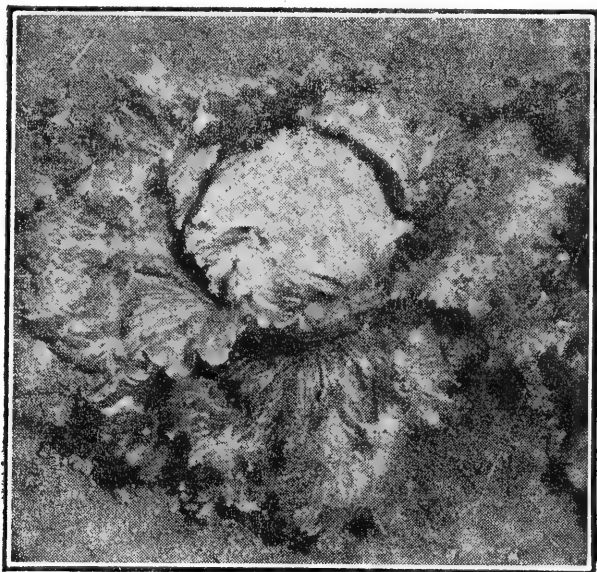
**Citron (Red Seeded).** The most popular citron for preserves and candied fruits. Ideal for making Watermelon pickles. Vines prolific and hardy. Pkt. 25c; oz. 55c.

**Cole's Early or Harris' Early.** One of the best early varieties, medium size, nearly round, flesh dark red and excellent quality. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c.

**New Hampshire Midget — All America Gold Medal 1951.** Early in maturity, high in quality and so small it fits into the ice box. When cut in two it serves two people. Very productive. We recommend a trial. Pkt. 25c; oz. 55c.

## Lettuce

**CULTURE** — For summer use the seed can be sown in hotbeds in March. Transplant when the weather will permit in rows 12 inches apart and 8 inches apart in the rows. For a succession sow in the open ground every two weeks until fall. Lettuce requires a rich and a rather moist soil. The more rapid the growth, the better the quality. One ounce of seed will produce about 3,000 plants.



Lettuce — Great Lakes

**Big Boston.** The heads resemble Big Boston but form earlier and do not have the red tinge of that variety. Heads are firm and of high quality. An excellent kind for home and market gardens.  
Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

**Boston Curled or Simpson.** Crisp non-heading variety, medium size, dark green, very curly leaves.  
Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

**Dark Green Cos.** A medium large, self-closing sort, with well blanched, loaf shaped head of tender quality. Leaves very dark green, slightly crumpled.  
Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

## Musk Melon or Cantaloupe

**CULTURE** — Melons succeed best in light, sandy, rich soil. After all danger of frost is past plant in hills 4 to 6 feet apart each way, six to ten seeds to a hill. When about 3 inches high and all danger from insects is past thin out to 3 or 4 plants to a hill. One ounce to 60 hills; 3 pounds to acre.

**Large Yellow** (70 to 80 days). A very large variety, thickly netted, deeply ribbed, flesh salmon-yellow, thick and sweet. A great yielder.  
Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c; ¼ lb. \$1.50.

**Delicious 51** — Inner flesh thicker, better colored and firmer than regular Delicious. A first early — adapted to this climate.  
Pkt. 20c; oz. 50c; ¼ lb. \$1.50.

**Granite State.** An early high quality, musk melon bred especially for a Northern climate. Very high sugar content.  
Pkt. 20c; oz. 55c; ¼ lb. \$1.95.

**Great Lakes** (82 days). Imperial type. Tight heads in hot weather! Shows strong resistance to tipburn. Developed by U. S. Dept. of Agriculture and Michigan Experiment Station. Awarded Bronze Medal in All-America trials.  
Pkt. 20c; oz. 60c; ¼ lb. \$2.00

**Imperial No. 456** (80 days). Head—medium to small, solid, dark green with prominent ribs. Developed by Cornell. Resistant to tip burn and early bolting.  
Pkt. 20c; oz. 60c; ¼ lb. \$2.00.

**Pennlake** (83 days). Developed by Penn State College. Head — medium to large — slightly flattened — leaves dark green and fringed at edges. Resistant to tip burn.  
Pkt. 20c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.50.

**Iceberg.** An early, even well bred variety which does well in mid-summer. Particularly adapted for Eastern states. Heads large, compact, blanch well, sweet, tender and of excellent quality.  
Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

**Salad Bowl** (45 days). Large, medium green, slow bolting, non-heading. Leaves are deeply lobed resembling Endive. Decidedly crisp and tender.  
Pkt. 25c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.50.

**Oak Leaf.** (40 days). This novel variety excels in ability to withstand hot weather without turning bitter. Its leaves are small, tender, and deep green, rich in vitamins.  
Pkt. 20c; ½ oz. 35c; oz. 65c.

**Prize Head.** An early non-heading sort of medium size, crisp and tender; color light very desirable for home garden use. Leaves crumpled and highly frilled at the edges, of excellent flavor.  
Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

**Hale's Best No. 36.** An improved strain of the old Hale's Best. It is the earliest and one of the most popular shipping cantaloupes; heavily netted, oval, sweet, and of very fine quality.  
Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c; ¼ lb. \$1.50.

**Thousand Dollar.** Originated and produced in Maine. The fruits are very large, elongated, distinctly ribbed and well netted. The thick flesh is fine grained, luscious, tender, sweet and deep orange.  
Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c; ¼ lb. \$1.50.



## Okra

Culture — Sow seeds in open ground, when the soil is warm and mellow, plant, in rows 2½ feet apart. Thin plants to stand 15 inches apart. Pick pods when small.

**Dwarf Green.** An early dwarf growing sort, with dark green fluted, pointed pods, 4 to 5 inches long. Plants 3 feet high, quite prolific. Excellent for soups and flavoring. Pick pods when young and tender. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

## Onion

Culture — Sow the seeds as early in the spring as the ground can be worked in drills about 1 foot apart and cover about ½ inch. Thin plants to stand from 2 to 3 inches apart in the drills. The soil should be well prepared and fertilized.

One ounce to 100 feet of drill; five pounds to the acre.

**Early Yellow Globe Danvers.** The most popular, profitable variety, producing well colored, globular bulbs, which ripen early. Highly recommended because of heavy yield and superior keeping qualities. Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.00.

**Large Red Wethersfield.** The standard red, flat variety, large size, skin deep purplish red, a good keeper. Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.00.

**Prizetaker.** The largest yellow onion, flesh white and of mild flavor. Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.00.

**Yellow Sweet Spanish.** (110 days). Skin is golden yellow but flesh is white, crisp and mild. A very large, globe-shaped onion, excellent for shipping or storage. Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.50.

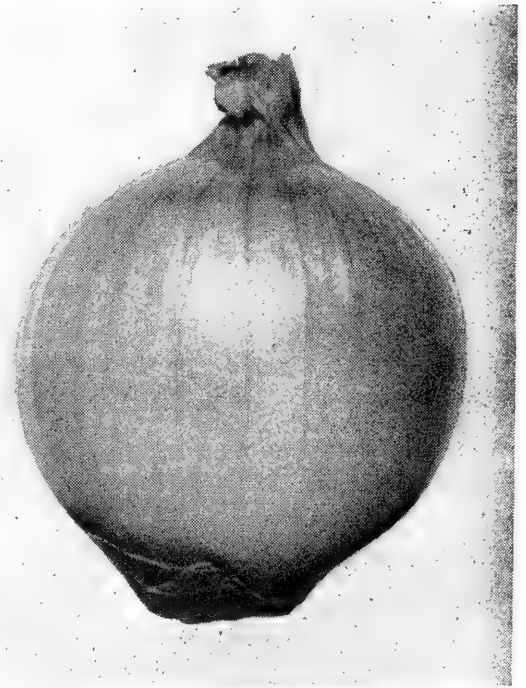
**White Portugal.** One of the best white sorts, bulbs mature early, very mild flavor, the best to grow for sets. Pkt. 15c; oz. 75c; ¼ lb. \$2.00.

## Onion Sets

Culture — Onion sets should be planted as early in the spring as the ground is dry enough to work in rows 12 inches apart and 2 to 4 inches apart in the rows.

**Ebenezer Yellow.** The best prolific, early, wild, sweet variety to produce scallions and mature bulbs. Excellent keeper. Qt. (1 lb) 40c; 50c lb., postpaid.

**White Ebenezer.** A superior, slower growing white set, thick necked and strong, with a larger top than ordinary white sets. Qt. (1 lb) 40c; 50c lb., postpaid.



Onion — Danvers Yellow Globe

## Parsley

Culture — Soak the seeds a few hours in lukewarm water and sow early in the spring in rich soil in drills one foot apart, thin out the plants to 4 inches apart in the rows.

One ounce to 150 feet of drill.

**Evergreen (New).** A more frost resistant variety with large, dense, dark green foliage—well adapted to market gardeners and general use. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

**Double Curled or Covent Garden.** One of the best sorts, handsome, bright green color; leaves finely crimped and curly. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

**Plain or Single.** A fine strain, very dark green. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

## Parsnip

Culture — Sow as early in the spring as the weather will permit in deep rich soil in drills 18 inches apart, covering the seed lightly, thin to 5 or 6 inches apart in the rows.

One ounce to 100 feet of drill; five pounds to the acre.

**White Model.** A highly improved type producing uniformly large and handsome roots of stocky form, heavy at the shoulder, well rounded, gradually tapering to the base. Flesh white, free from core and stringless, fine flavored. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

**Hollow Crown.** A standard quality variety. Roots long, smooth, thick at shoulder, uniformly tapered. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 75c.

## GARDEN PEAS — Early Varieties

**CULTURE** — Sow in rows 3 or 4 feet apart and about 1 inch apart in the rows, 3 to 4 inches deep. Peas grown as a market crop are never staked, but when the taller sorts are grown for private use they are generally sown in double rows, 6 to 8 inches apart, and staked with brush. For best results all garden peas require good, strong, fertile soil. One pound will plant about 50 feet of drill.

**Peas by Parcel Post** — Add 23c for 1 lb. — 4c for each additional pound, see page 1.

**To get Best Results**

Innoculate Pea Seed with Nitragin C. Garden Size 25c; 100 lbs. seed 55c.

**Teton** (63 days). All America Silver Medal. An attractive introduction resembling our strain of Thomas Laxton but fully resistant to fusarium wilt. Large, attractive pods, concentrated in season and well filled with peas. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Blue Bantam** (57 days). An extra early variety of fine quality. Height 18 inches. Length of pod 4 to 4½ inches. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

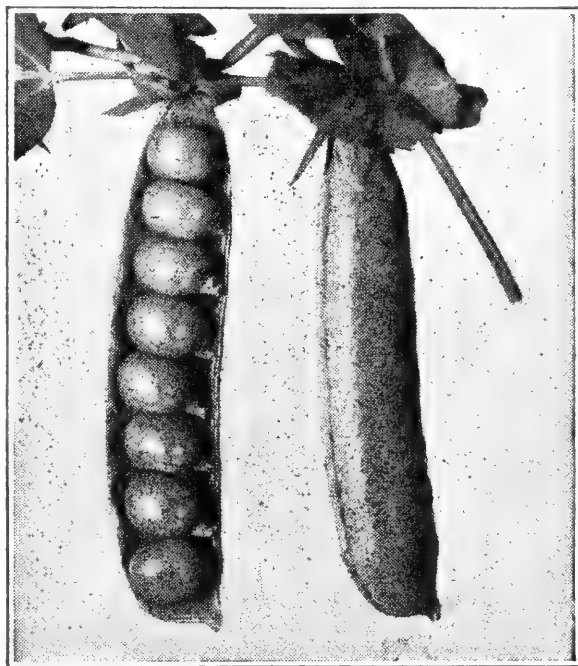
**Freezonian** (new — 63 days). Ideal for freezing and canning yet retaining superior qualities for immediate eating. Vine 30 inches and medium heavy — pod 3½ inches, dark green with blunt end. Wilt resistant. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Gradus** (60 days). One of the earliest and most popular of the large-podded, wrinkled peas; vines vigorous, bearing large pods from 4 to 4½ inches in length, filled with large peas of the finest quality and delicious flavor, height 3 feet. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Laxtonian** (63 days). One of the most remarkable varieties yet introduced, very dwarf, growing 18 inches high, pods 4½ inches long, containing peas of fine flavor. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Laxton's Progress** (62 days). The largest podded and most attractive, early dwarf variety. Vine 18 inches tall, pods 5 inches long, containing 7 to 9 large peas of excellent quality. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Little Marvel**. (64 days). A dwarf variety of even growth, about 18 inches in height, pods dark green, medium size, often produced in pairs. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Freezonian**

Ideal for freezing and canning

**Topper** (66 days). Good for market, canning or freezing. Vines 28 to 32 inches tall — pods 3½-4 inches long, dark green, well filled with 6 to 8 dark green peas of fine flavor. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Progress No. 9** (60 days). Of the same general type as Laxton's Progress but resistant to Fusarium wilt and slightly larger in plant and pods. A popular new listing. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Thomas Laxton** (62 days). One of the very best garden varieties. The pods are long, straight, with square ends, and contain 7 or 8 peas of the finest flavor, hardy and productive, height 3 feet. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

**World's Record** (57 days). A popular large podded, extra early wrinkled pea, maturing several days ahead of Gradus to which it is similar in growth. Quality excellent. ½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80; 14 lbs. \$4.50.

## Garden Peas

### MEDIUM LATE VARIETIES

**Asgrow 40** (75 days). Unexcelled in pod size and quality. Vines dark green, stocky and branching, 26 inches high. Pods large, round, dark green, plump, pointed, curved at tip, contain 8 to 10 succulent peas. Resistant to wilt.

½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80  
14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Alderman** (74 days). A handsome large podded variety. Pods 4½-5½ inches long, broad, pointed, dark green containing 8-10 light green peas of highest quality.

½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80  
14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Everbearing** (76 days). Very prolific, pods about 3 inches long, peas large and of good quality, height 2½ feet.

½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80  
14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Dwarf Telephone (Carter's Daisy)** (76 days). Similar to the Tall Telephone but dwarf, bearing heavy pods, about 4½ inches long, height 2 feet.

½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80  
14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Improved Telephone** (74 days). An improvement on Carter's Telephone for purity and uniformity of habits, bearing in great abundance large, dark green pods, containing peas of fine flavor, height 4 feet.

½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80  
14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Wyoming Wonder** (75 days). Pods 5 to 6 inches long, very dark green, pointed and somewhat curved at the tip. Vines 28 inches tall. Resistant to wilt.

½ lb. 30c; lb. 45c; 2 lbs. 80c; 5 lbs. \$1.80  
14 lbs. \$4.50.

**Peas by Parcel Post** — Add 23c for 1 lb. — 4c for each additional pound.

## Pepper

**Culture**—Sow the seeds in hotbeds early in April. Transplant when 2 or 3 inches high, to 3 inches apart. Transplant to the open ground about the first of June, in rows 2 feet apart and 18 inches apart in the rows. The soil should be rich and mellow.

One ounce will produce about 2,000 plants.

**Asgrow King.** An early pedigreed strain bred for size and uniformity. Fruits are exceptional in breadth at the base and in length, 3-lobed, tapered, smooth, dark green turning to bright red. Flesh thick, sweet and mild. Very desirable.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c; oz. 70c.

## PEPPER — (continued)

**California Wonder.** Mid-season. Fruits chunky, smooth, four-lobed, attractive, deep green changing to crimson. Flesh thick, firm, crisp, sweet and mild.  
Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c; oz. 60c.

**Harris' Early Giant.** The earliest and most prolific of the large peppers. Fruits mild, sweet, 5 inches long by 3½ inches in diameter.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c; oz. 70c.

**Large Bell or Bull Nose.** Large and of mild flavor, largely used for pickling.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c; oz. 60c.



Calwonder — Pepper

**Calwonder Early** (68 days). A special Asgrow strain of California Wonder bred to make this popular variety available in areas of shorter season.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c; oz. 65c.

**Long Red Cayenne.** Bright red, long, slender pods, very pungent.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 30c; oz. 50c.

**Squash or Tomato-Shaped.** Fruit medium size, early and productive.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 35c; oz. 65c.

## REMEMBER !

**Our Vegetable Seeds are ASGROW grown.**

**What does that mean?**

Simply this—they are Bred, not just grown.



## Pumpkin

Culture — Same as for squash.

One ounce will plant 20 hills; one pound will plant 250 hills.

**Connecticut Field.** Very productive, usually grow in fields with corn for feeding stock. Pkt. 15c; oz 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**King of the Mammoths.** The best mammoth pumpkin, flesh is a golden-yellow, a splendid keeper and valuable for stock feeding. Pkt. 15c; oz 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**Small Sugar.** Very sweet and fine grained, a good keeper, best sort for family use. Pkt. 15c; oz 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**Winter Luxury.** Round, slightly larger than the Small Sugar variety. Color russet yellow, flesh thick, firm and excellent quality. A very fine winter sort. Pkt. 15c; oz 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

## Radish

Culture — The seeds should be sown in light rich, sandy loam. For an early supply, sow in a hotbed in rows 4 inches apart. Sow in the open ground in rows 8 to 12 inches apart  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch deep, as soon as the soil can be worked.

One ounce for 100 feet of drill.

**Cherry Belle.** Refined new type with very short leaves and uniform small roots, bright scarlet in color, perfectly round like bright red cherries. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c; lb. \$1.50.

**Crimson Giant.** An extra early, turnip-shaped variety, growing very large, yet never pithy, always hard and solid, good for forcing and equally as good if grown in the open ground. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c; lb. \$1.50.

**Early Scarlet Globe.** One of the best varieties for forcing or sowing in the open ground, globe shaped, scarlet color, crisp and tender. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c; lb. \$1.50.

**Early Scarlet White-Tipped.** Small, round, red, short tops, crisp and tender. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c; lb. \$1.50.

**French Breakfast.** Oblong shaped, color scarlet, white-tipped, rapid grower, mild and tender. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c; lb. \$1.50.

**Saxa.** This is the earliest maturing variety, for forcing or home gardens. Roots are round, scarlet, medium sized and with a small short top. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c; lb. \$1.50.

**White Icicle.** Finest white radish. It is long, slender, pure white, roots of excellent quality. Fine for forcing. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 65c; lb. \$1.50.

## Salsify

### (Vegetable Oyster)

Culture—Cultivate the same as for carrots.

One of the most delicious and nutritious of vegetables.

One ounce to 50 feet of drill.

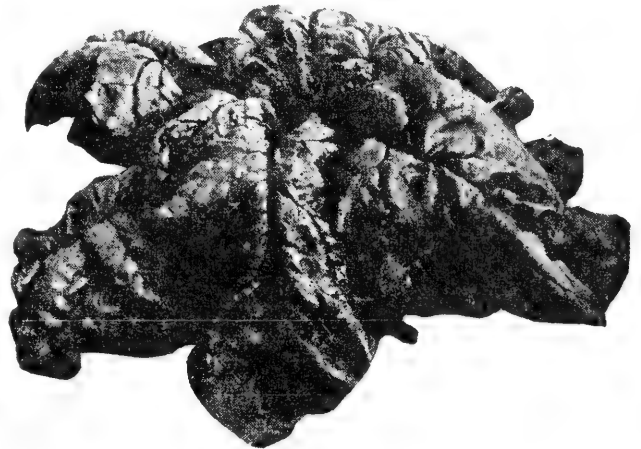
**Mammoth Sandwich Island.** This variety grows to a large size and is superior in quality to the Long White. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 85c.

## Spinach

Culture—Sow early in the spring in drills one foot apart, covering the seed one inch deep, thinning out as it grows. For a succession sow every two weeks. For winter and early spring use, sow in August; cover with straw on the approach of severe cold weather.

One ounce to 50 feet of drill, ten to twelve pounds to the acre.

**Blight Resistant Savoy.** Upstanding, vigorous plants, seeding rather early, highly desirable for planting in infested soil. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.



Spinach — Long Standing Savoy

**Bloomsdale.** A very hardy variety, large thick crumpled leaves, a favorite with market gardeners. The best for early spring or fall. Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**Bloomsdale Savoy, Long Standing.** Plants are very uniform, sturdy, attractive with dark green well crumpled leaves. Will stand for two weeks longer than Bloomsdale before bolting to seed.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**Giant Nobel.** Plants large, vigorous and spreading. Leaves huge, thick, smooth, pointed, deep green and tender. Forms seed stalks slowly. Very valuable for market gardeners and canning.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

## Spinach — continued

**King of Denmark.** The leaves are dark green, very thick and crumpled, and of good quality. Remains in good condition two or three weeks longer than any other variety before running to seed.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**Viking.** It is a dark green, long standing, giant, smooth leaved spinach. Comparable but superior to Nobel.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 50c; lb. \$1.25.

**New Zealand.** A plant of branching habits which stands drought. Plants should not be closer than two feet apart each way.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c.

## Squash

Culture — Plant in light, rich soil, well pulverized. Bush varieties should be planted about 4 feet apart and the running varieties about 8 feet.

Bush varieties, one ounce to 40 hills, running varieties, one ounce to 15 hills, three to four pounds per acre.

**Baby Blue. (University of N. H. introduction).** A cross between Blue Hubbard and Bush Buttercup. It has the color of Blue Hubbard and the quality of Buttercup. The plant is small, being semi-bush, and the fruits weight from 3 to 5 lbs.

Pkt. 25c; oz. 50c; 1 lb. \$5.50.

**Blue Hubbard.** Fruits large, round, pointed at both ends, slightly ridged, with very hard blue-gray rind. Flesh, yellow-orange.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 80c; lb. \$3.00.

**Blue Hubbard — Colby Strain.** This is the largest strain of Blue Hubbard, weighing up to 40 lbs., shape oblong, color light blue, heavily warted.

Pkt. 20c; oz. 40c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.50; lb. \$4.00.

**Buttercup** (100 days). Shape similar to that of Turban. Rind thin and tough, dark green with narrow gray stripes and slight mottling. Orange flesh cooks sweet and dry. A small, thick-fleshed squash of good storage and eating quality.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 35c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.35; lb. \$4.00.

## Squash — continued

**Butternut.** (85 days). A small Winter Squash. The fruits of which are yellowish brown color and bottle-shaped. The outer shell is smooth and hard. The flesh is yellow, fine textured, dry, sweet, and of excellent flavor.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. \$1.00; lb. \$3.50.

**Boston Marrow.** A standard fall variety of a bright yellow color, an excellent sort for pies and largely used by canners.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

**Delicious.** Fine grained, sweet and dry, no other squash can equal it in sweetness and richness of flavor. In shape and color it is similar to the Hubbard. Weighs from five to ten pounds.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

**Early Summer Crookneck.** A standard early bush and productive variety. Fruits about 12 inches long, moderately warted and of a bright yellow color.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

**Early Prolific Straightneck.** Earlier, smaller, more productive, brighter yellow than Giant Yellow Straightneck and more uniform. For home and market.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

**Golden Hubbard.** Same type as the Green Hubbard but of rich orange red color and earlier to mature.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

**Hubbard.** The standard winter squash, more largely grown than any other late variety, dark green skin and rich flesh, an excellent keeper.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

**Italian Vegetable Marrow or Zucchini.** A trailing sort of excellent quality. Fruits cylindrical, very dark green, with greenish white flesh. Fruits weigh 3 pounds.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

**Table Queen (Also called Acorn).** Desirable for home and market garden use, also for shipping. Trailing in habit, with acorn-shaped fruits, ribbed, smooth, thin-shelled, dark green. Flesh light yellow, bakes well, with sweet, inviting flavor. An early maturing variety.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c;  $\frac{1}{4}$  lb. 60c; lb. \$2.00.

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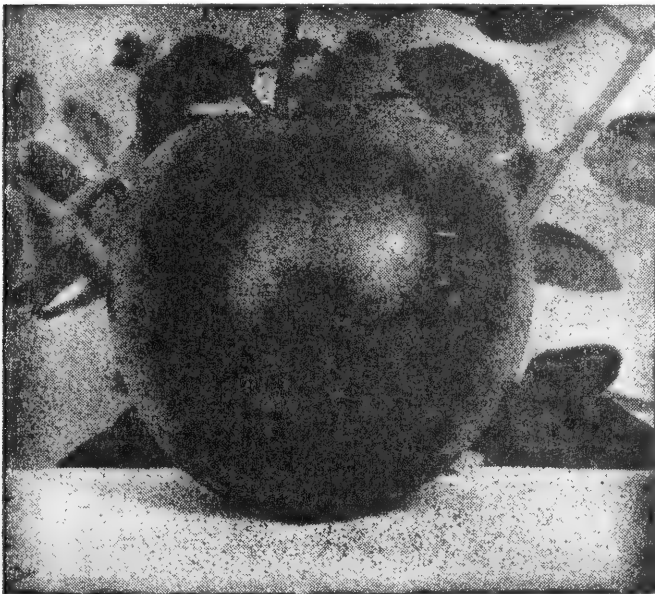
## Tomato

One ounce will produce about 1,500 plants.

**Scarlet Dawn.** Truly a superb variety. Fruits medium large, with thick walls, globular, smooth, bright scarlet, ripening well to the stem. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 55c; oz. \$1.00.

**Earliana.** One of the best extra early and popular varieties, in all types of gardens. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 30c; oz. 50c.

**John Baer.** A second early variety, producing perfect, solid, high crown, beautiful brilliant red fruits of a mild, deliciously sweet flavor. Plants very prolific. Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 30c; oz. 50c.



Tomate — Franklin-Hybrid

**Franklin Hybrid.** New, early, heavy producer. Solid, meaty, richly colored with wonderful flavor.

Pkt. 25c; ¼ oz. 75c; ½ oz. \$1.25; oz. \$2.00.

**"F N. C." (Farthest North)** (60 days). Development Maine Experiment Station. High in vitamin C; fruits medium and very early. Pkts. only 20c.

**Sunray.** Bright orange globe-shaped fruit of good quality. Replaces Jubilee, to which it is superior.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 75c; oz. \$1.20.

**Marglobe.** A wilt-resistant, scarlet globular variety. Plants vigorous and prolific. Fruits solid and meaty.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 30c; oz. 50c.

**Pritchard or Scarlet Topper.** Best of wilt-resistant varieties. Fruits large, smooth with excellent internal color.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 30c; oz. 50c.

**Rutgers.** A development from Marglobe. Highly wilt-resistant it is unexcelled for home canning.

Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. \$1.00; oz. \$1.85.

## Turnip

**Culture**—For summer greens or roots sow early in drills 12 to 15 inches apart for hand cultivation; 24 inches apart for horse cultivation and press the soil down firmly. Thin out when the plants have grown to about 1 inch high. Sow again in the summer for fall and winter use.

One ounce for 100 ft. of row, two to three pounds per acre.

**Golden Ball.** The best yellow summer turnip. Tops small, erect, cutleaved. Roots round, medium sized, deep yellow with pale yellow flesh. Quality excellent.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**Purple Top White Globe.** An early variety of superior quality. Globe shaped. Flesh white, tender and sweet.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**White Egg.** A very desirable medium sized turnip, producing white, top shaped roots having smooth, white fine grained flesh of excellent quality.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**Yellow Aberdeen Purple Top.** (75-80 days). The roots are 4½ to 5 inches in diameter, globular, yellow with purplish red shoulders. The flesh is medium yellow and firm. Good storage variety, grown for stock and for winter table.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

## Ruta Baga

**American Purple Top.** (90 days). The Asgrow strain is well known for its heavy yield and uniformity, very dependable for shipping and storage. Large, globular, short-necked roots with light yellow flesh, firm, sweet and tender.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**Improved Long Island.** Large, globular, with a small neck and slight tap root. Roots are yellow with purple top, having firm, sweet, tender, pale yellow flesh.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**Early Necklace.** Resembles American Purple Top but with medium top and very small neck. Roots flattened globe in shape, yellow with purple top, flesh yellow, firm and of excellent quality.

Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. 50c; lb. \$1.50.

**Perfect Model.** Adapted to New England conditions. It is remarkable for its uniformity and excellent quality. The roots are large, yellow with purple top, having very tender, sweet yellow flesh. An excellent keeper.

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## MAINE F-150 Field Corn

A new flint-dent type hybrid of proven merit for quality, silage and grain corn in Maine. Maturing only slightly later than Maine B or Wisconsin 240. A decided improvement in uniformity, ear height and ease in husking. The yield increase is very evident. Trials indicate a seeding of 10 lbs. per acre, spacing kernels 10 inches apart will give best results. Maine F-150 has been under test at Highmoor Farm for the past four years. Supply limited. Write for price.

**Early Eight-Rowed Yellow Flint (Maine Grown).** The earliest yellow field corn, maturing in 90 days. Ears long, cob small filled to the tip with large broad kernels. Excellent for grain or ensilage. Write for price.

**Cornell Hybrid 29-3** (110 days). An excellent husking variety, stalks 9 to 10 ft. slender and leafy. Ears 9 to 10 inches long and slightly tapered. The dented kernels are yellow, tinged with red. Write for price.

**Maine Hybrid B.** A development of the Maine Experiment Station. A very desirable variety for those desiring to raise their own grain. Write for price.

**Yellow Sweepstakes** — The ideal ensilage corn for New England. A true Hybrid combining the Mammoth Growth of the Largest Southern ensilage variety with the early maturity and large grain yield of the best northern corn. Write for price.

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## GRASSES — Becoming commonly used

**Brome Grass.** 20 lbs. per acre. A hardy perennial of excellent feeding qualities. Very deep-rooted and well adapted to native soils and climate.

**Birdsfoot Trefoil.** A low growing perennial legume for pastures. Starts slowly but has long season. Inoculated, it thrives on ground too poor for Alfalfa or Clover. It takes several years to establish.

**Reed's Canary.** 12 lbs. per acre. A versatile type of perennial — producing heavy yields of highly palatable feed from high and lowland alike. Hardy and vigorous.

## SOY BEANS

One of the most valuable and important forage and soil-improving crops. When cut together with corn for the silo, they greatly improve the quality of the feed.

**Manchu.** Matures early and is an exceptional yielder. Very suitable for Northern New England.

**Wilson.** A rank-growing variety, branching high. Leaves large; both pods and leaves remain on vines after cutting.

## MILLETS

**Hungarian.** A popular annual plant used for hay and forage, yielding two to three tons per acre. Sow 1 bushel to the acre. Weight 48 pounds per bushel.

**Japanese Millet.** A forage plant of excellent quality, growing 6 to 8 feet in height, and yielding 10 to 15 tons per acre. Sow 20 lbs. per acre broadcast, 15 lbs. in drills 18 inches apart.

## SEED OATS

**Clinton Oats.** A splendid variety for all sections, and particularly so to our New England States. A very productive sort; the straw is heavy and stiff and the grains plump and attractive in appearance.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**Barley (6 rowed).** Valuable for hay and for its grain. In drills, sow 1½ to 2 bushels to an acre.

**Buckwheat (Japanese).** A splendid crop to improve impoverished land. Excellent for bees and production of flour. Sow in June or July one bushel per acre broadcast.

**Canada Field Peas.** They are used largely with oats for the production of fodder and hay. Sow early in spring. Use 1½ to 2 bushels per acre to produce forage hay late in June.

**Winter Rye (Rosen).** Rosen Rye produces a strong, vigorous straw and stolls to a remarkable degree. The grain is large, plump, heavy and beautiful color.

**Vetch, Spring (Vicia sativa).** Valuable as a green manure crop and also for spring hay when planted with oats. Sow 2-3 bushels broadcast or 1-2 bushels in drills per acre.

**Vetch, or Tares, Winter (Vicia villosa).** Also called Sand Vetch, or Hairy Vetch. A great soil improver, and a nutritious green fodder or hay crop. For fall sowing. Sow 1 bushel per acre, with 1 bushel of rye.

**Spring Wheat, Marquis (Beardless).** An early and productive variety. The kernel is flinty, darker red and more plump than Red Fife and matures a week to ten days earlier; weight 64 to 66 lbs. per measured bushel.

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A blend of Timothy, Red Top, Brome Grass, DOMESTIC Grown Red Clover, Alsike Clover and Ladino Clover, each variety being of the highest test as to purity and germination. Sow at rate of 25 lbs. per acre. Price, 56c per lb. F. O. B. Portland. (No tax).

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**Chewing's Fescue.** A creeping rooted species forming a close, lasting turf of fine bladed grass. Especially adapted for dry sandy soils and resists drought. Used on putting greens seeding 8 lbs to 1,000 square feet.

**Creeping Red Fescue.** Produces a turf similar to Chewings Fescue, spreading by underground runners that make an extremely tight, uniform sod. The leaves are fine, needle-like and have a deep green color. This grass thrives on all types of soil. Very popular today!

**Creeping Bent.** This soft leaved grass, which spreads from underground stolons is the ideal grass for putting greens where an even, uniform dense, firm sod is desired. It is adapted to different soils and will withstand dry weather.

**Domestic Rye.** A very desirable grass for planting where quick results are desired. Excellent for lawns where an immediate green ground cover is required.

**Kentucky Blue Grass.** Root-creeping, perennial; flowers in June. This valuable grass is very common in the soils of America, and is excellent for pastures. A valuable species in lawn mixtures.

**Red Top (Fancy Recleaned).** Root-creeping; perennial; flowers in July. It is a fine permanent grass and forms a nutritious pasturage when fed close. Valuable for all wet soils, producing a large return in good hay.

**Rough Stalked Meadow (*Poa trivialis*).** A splendid grass of spreading, thickly matting, stoloniferous species, with narrow, flat, dark green leaf blades. Adapted for shady places and will form a turf where other grasses fail.

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### Merion Blue Grass

The new wonder grass for a home lawn. Superior to Kentucky Blue in both color and texture — helps to crowd out Crab Grass.

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### Kentucky 31 Fescue

Kentucky 31 has an extensive root system. It helps to prevent soil erosion and will form a dense turf on bankings. Has been used with great success on airfields.

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## CLOVERS

**Alsike.** A hardy perennial clover which thrives on moist or undrained areas. Excellent for hay and cover crops.

**Ladino Clover.** A mammoth white clover from Pacific Northwest, hardy in New England. Valuable in any pasture or permanent mowing. Seed slow to germinate.

**Red Medium.** The leading variety of clover for pastures and meadows. It prefers a rich, well drained and thoroughly prepared soil. the usual rate of planting is 8 to 12 pounds per acre to produce a heavy crop of fragrant, palatable hay.

**White Dutch.** Used primarily for lawns but also in pasture mixtures. It is a low growing, creeping clover with small white flower heads and small leaves. Use 4 to 6 pounds per acre.

**Crimson.** This is an annual variety which will produce an immense crop for forage or hay. It is particularly adapted as a summer cover crop to improve soil. Sow 12 to 15 pounds per acre.

**Ranger Alfalfa.** The hardiest, most prolific and economical type of alfalfa to plant in New England. Sow 15 to 20 lbs. per acre in well drained, thoroughly prepared and limed soil. Inoculate the seed. Valuable for hay and as a forage crop.

**Sweet Clover.** A tall, rank growing biennial which is planted for bees, hay, green forage and as a cover crop. It is a valuable pasture plant which makes excellent hay if cut prior to blossoming. Sow 12 to 15 pounds per acre.

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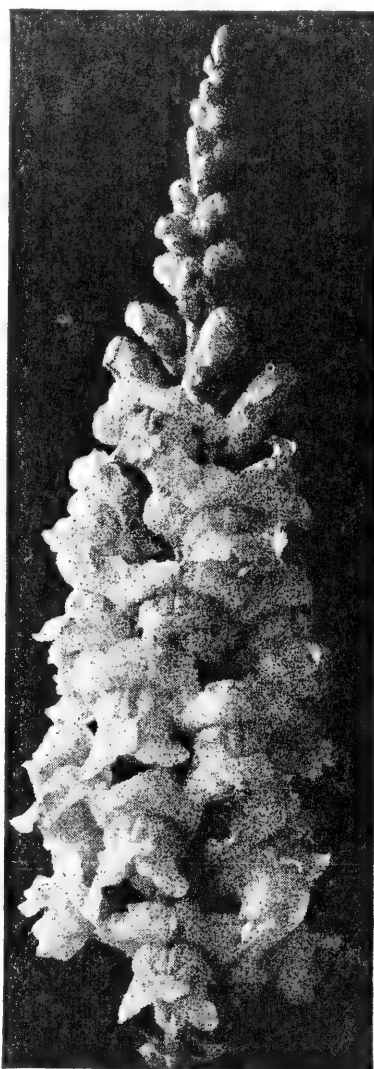
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**Royal Carpet (new).** Plants dwarf, compact free flowering. The sweetly scented flowers are a rich deep shade of violet. 25c

**AMARANTHUS**

**(Summer Poinsetta). Molten Fire.** A beautiful rich maroon foliage crowned with a fiery crimson top making a brilliant display until late in the fall. 3 ft. tall 15c

**ANCHUSA (Summer Forget-Me-Not) Capensis.** This hardy, free growing annual produces sprays of lovely Forget-me-not like flowers, of a beautiful azure blue. Plants compact and uniform, 2 feet high. 15c

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**Buttercup.** A gorgeous two tone flower of deep canary yellow, shading to creamy yellow margins. 20c

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**Aurora Golden Sheaf** (Wilt Resistant). This is the deepest yellow aster yet offered to American gardeners. The flowers are fully double. Crop failure

**American Late Branching** (Wilt Resistant). The fully double blooms  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 inches in diameter, have incurved, closely massed petals, forming solid, globular flowers.

All colors are Wilt Resistant, Azure Blue, Crimson, Light Rose, Purple, Scarlet, Shell Pink, White and A. S. & L. Mixed Colors. 15c

**Ball's Early White** (Wilt Resistant). Medium early aster, 2 feet tall, of dwarf branching habit, producing pure white flowers, 3 to 4 inches in diameter. 15c

**Ballet Queen** (Wilt Resistant). The plants are of branching habit, 2 ft. tall, bearing profusely, on long stems, fully double flowers. Midseason. Colors: White, Light blue, Lavender, Purple, Pink and Coppery rose, A. S. & L. Mixed. 15c

**California Sunshine.** A new class of upright, mid-season asters growing 2 feet tall. The large, unusual flowers have a single row of petals about a tufted center. Wide range of colors. A. S. & L. mixed. 15c

**Improved Crego Giant** (Wilt Resistant). Fully double, immense fluffy flowers, 5 inches in diameter. The plants are vigorous, of branching type  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet tall. Excellent for cutting. Colors: White, Deep rose, Shell pink, Violet, Crimson and A. S. & L. mixed. 15c

**Heart of France** (Wilt Resistant). The best gorgeous, largest flowered dark red variety of asters. The plants are nicely branched and the flowers grow on long stems. Height 2 feet. Excellent for cutting. 15c

**Super Giant El Monte.** The only really large fluffy crimson aster. The blooms are a deep glowing crimson composed of an abundance of daintily interlaced plume-like petals. 20c



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**Super Giant Los Angeles.** The first of a new race of Giant Flowered Asters. Extremely large, fully double, soft shell pink flowers, 6 to 8 inches in diameter. Plants vigorous. 15c

**Phlox Pink** (Wilt Resistant). Plants are of the upright Comet type,  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet tall, producing beautiful flesh pink flowers. Very desirable. 15c

**Powderpuff Asters** — Every plant a bouquet in itself! Powderpuffs grow 20" to 24" high, strictly upright, and it is not unusual to have 20 of the 3-inch, fully double, crested blooms open at once. A grand addition to the Aster family. Wilt resistant. 35c

**Rose Marie.** (Wilt Resistant). Early Giant class of China asters. Color: Rose-pink. High fluffy centers and long narrow petals. Flowers from  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4 inches, borne on long, clean, stout stems. 25c

**A. S. & L. Mixture all types** (Wilt Resistant). A superb blend of the Wilt resistant types and varieties. 15c



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**ARCTOTIS (African Lilac Daisy).**  
**Grandis.** A remarkable, handsome annual, forming bushes well branched. The flowers are pure white with sky blue eye while the reverse of the rays are pale lilac-blue. An excellent cut flower. 2 feet high. 15c

**BACHELOR'S BUTTON.** Hardy annual of easy culture, one of the most attractive of all the old fashioned flowers. Sow the seed where it is to remain and thin to six inches. 15c  
Single mixed, Double mixed. 15c  
Double blue, Double pink.

**Jubilee Gem.** A truly dwarf Corn flower with distinct green foliage forming a tuft from which myriad of frosty, vivid blue flowers are thrown upward but to a height of only 12 inches. 15c

**BALSAM (Lady Slipper).** A favorite garden flower of easy culture; producing masses of beautiful, brilliant-colored, double flowers; succeeds in a good rich soil; set the plants one foot apart; tender annuals. 2 feet. Mixed colors. 15c

**BELLS OF IRELAND (Irish Chimes).** 2 ft. branching plants bear closely set spikes of translucent green, fairy bells. Lovely for summer arrangements; also dried for winter. 25c

**BRACHYCOME (Swan River Daisy).** The dainty, small, star-shaped blossoms are produced above their lacy foliage, in profusion throughout the summer. The rich assortment of colors harmonize in a bed or border. Hardy annual, 12 inches high. 15c

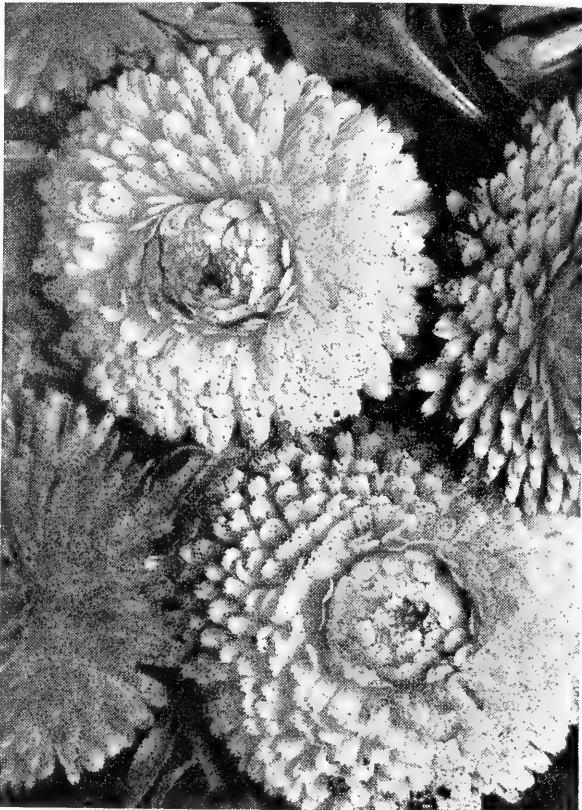
**CALLIOPSIS.** A hardy annual growing about 2 feet high, valuable for bright bedding effects or for cutting. Blooms from June until September. Double mixed colors. 15c

CALENDULA

**CALENDULA (Pot Marigold).** One of the most satisfactory annuals because they thrive even in poor soil with little care. The bushy plants, 18 inches high, with their dense green leaves, bear large disc-like double flowers.

**Balls Lemon Queen.** 15c  
**Ball's Orange.** Improved (florist's strain) 15c  
**Mixed varieties.** 15c

**Chrysantha (All America Gold Medal).** This is a distinct new type. The large double flowers are an exquisite shade of clear buttercup yellow, with long loosely arranged petals, giving the blooms the appearance of a chrysanthemum. 15c



Calendula Double Mixed

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**Campfire Improved.** Plants are strong uniform growing, with exceptionally heavy cutting stems. The blooms are flat across the top, measuring 4 inches in diameter. The color is a very deep, strong orange, with a distinct scarlet sheen on the upper side of each petal. Ideal for home and commercial gardens. 15c

**Orange Shaggy (All America Gold Medal).** A very distinct new break in Calendulas. The petals are long and deeply fringed. These beautiful graceful flowers are deep orange, with a slightly lighter center. 15c

**Orange Sunshine.** The good sized, extremely showy light orange flowers are excellent for cutting because of the unusually long firm stems. An ideal flower for the garden. 15c

**Radar—**(A new Bodger introduction). A very large, medium orange-quilled type. 15c

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An old favorite Pkt. 15c; 1/2 lb. 30c

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**CANARY BIRD VINE.** Half-hardy climbing annual, bearing an abundance of bright yellow fringed flowers. Sold out.

**CANTERBURY BELL.** (Annual). Plants 2½ feet tall bearing six to eight spikes in assortment of colors, blue, pink, rose and white. Mixed. 15c

### Canterbury Bells Biennial

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**CANDYTUFT.** A hardy annual of easy culture. Valuable for bedding or massing. Crimson, Flesh pink, White, Mixed. 15c

**Giant Hyacinth Flowered.** Very large heads and long spikes of white flowers, height, one foot. 15c

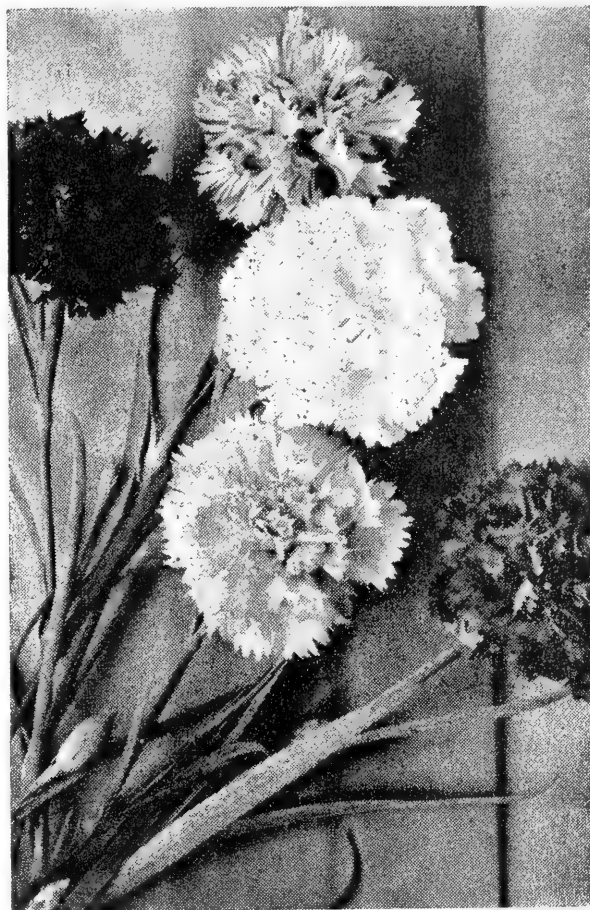
**CARNATION.** (Giant Marguerite). Splendid mixture of the Giant Marguerite Carnations, including many colors, which will add color contrast to a bed or border planted with this lovely annual. Our strain is carefully selected and comes very double. 20 inches high. A. S. & L. mixed. 15c

**COBAEA.** A tall rapid growing climber, with handsome foliage and large bell-shaped flowers. Start in cold frame. Scandens Blue. 15c

**CHRYSANTHEMUM** (Annual). Summer blooming annuals, growing 12 to 18 inches high. Very effective for bed or cut blooms. Double mixed. 15c

**CLARKIA-ELEGANS** (Double). The enormous improvement in the Elegans class, which now includes a wide range of beautiful colors, has brought these flowers much into favor. Hardy annual. 2 feet high. Mixed. 15c

**CLEOME** (Spider Plant). An unusually attractive, tall growing plant. Ideal for corners and amongst shrubs. The rose and white flowers command attention. Four feet tall. Colors — Pink, and White. 15c



**CARNATION MARGUERITE DOUBLE**

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**COCKSCOMB.** A very popular annual for bedding or for the production of specimen plants, producing large, peculiar, ornamental comb-like heads. The curious flower heads are always admired and prized by garden enthusiasts.

**Glasgow Prize.** Brilliant, deep purplish-red comb, dark foliage. Height about one foot. 15c

**Pampas Plume Mixture.** Glorious blend of copper, bronze, gold and sunset shades. 25c

**COLEUS.** Tender annual, growing about 10 to 18 inches high, and grown for its beautiful, bright-colored, velvety leaves. This is one of the best showy foliage plants. Mixed hybrids. 25c

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**COSMOS**

**Fiesta** - (New). A true scarlet, compact plant with riot of color all summer. Flowers semi-double, ruffled.

25c

**Early Flowering Single.**

In New England, where the seasons are short, only the early or extra early types should be planted.

White, Pink, Crimson, Mixed, each.

15c

**Extra Early Flowering Double.** They grow to a height of about three feet, forming a perfect bush massed with bloom, bearing beautiful double flowers. Crimson, Pink, White, Mixed, each.

15c

**Orange Flare.** Plants 2 to 3 feet tall, with marigold-like foliage. Flowers a brilliant orange, maturing in less than four months.

20c

**Radiance**—A striking new color combination never before seen in Cosmos. Deep rose petals overlaid with large well defined zone of rich crimson.

25c

**COSMOS — RADIANCE**

**Sensation.** Finest mixed. It is extremely early flowering in 10 weeks from time of sowing. Plants vigorous, 4 feet tall, producing an abundance of white and shades of pink flowers, 4 to 5 inches in diameter.

25c

**DAHLIA.** Unwin's Dwarf Hybrids, mixed. A wonderful mixture of miniature early flowering, semi-double hybrids 18 to 24 inches high with a wide range of colors.

25c

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**CYNOGLOSSUM (Chinese Forget-Me-Not).** Amabile blue, half-hardy annual — very dwarf. The long graceful branches are well covered with rich turquoise blue blossoms resembling forget-me-not, but larger. Easily grown and excellent for cut flowers.

15c

**DATURA (Angel's Trumpet).** *Cornucopia.* Handsome subtropical plants for summer bedding. Immense flowers, clear creamy white. They should be given a light soil and a sunny sheltered position.

25c

**DELPHINIUM. (Annual).** *Cambridge blue.* A light blue, annual *Chinensis* Delphinium growing 2 to 3 feet tall. Plants vigorous, producing large well formed flower spikes. It is an excellent cut flower.

15c

**DIANTHUS or PINKS.** Hardy biennials that bloom the first season, remaining green all winter if lightly protected and blooming the next year. Mixed, all colors.

15c

**DIDISCUS (Blue Lace Flower).** An attractive annual blooming from July until frost. The lacy pale lavender flowers are invaluable for cutting. Height 2 feet.

15c

**DIMORPHOTHECA (African Golden Daisy).** Spreading plants 12 inches high, are covered with a wealth of snowy, large, daisy-like flowers, having dark centers which enhance their beauty. Mixed.

15c

**ESCHSCHOLTZIA (California Poppy)** The foliage is finely cut, delicate and very attractive. The large, handsome flowers, two inches or more in diameter, are produced in great profusion all summer. Hardy annual; height 1 foot.

**Aurantiaca.** Rich golden yellow.

15c

**Carmin King.** Beautiful carmine rose.

15c

**Grandiflora.** Mixed colors.

15c

**EUPHORBIA VARIEGATA (Snow on the Mountain).** A showy annual, 2 feet tall, which thrives on poor and quite dry soil. The mature dark green leaves are tinged and margined with white. Excellent for foliage effects.

15c

**GAILLARDIA.** Very showy plants with brilliant yellow and bronze daisy-like flowers. Hardy annuals, 2 feet high. Single mixed.

15c

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**GILIA CAPITATA** (Queen Anne's Thimble). Bushy plants, 2 feet tall with lacy foliage. The flowers, similar to Scabiosa in form and of clear lavender blue are borne on long stems. Excellent for cutting and bedding. 15c

**GODETIA** (Satin Flower). This is an effective annual not nearly common enough in our gardens. Start in cold frame — can be sown in open. The graceful, long loose sprays make a handsome decoration for vases. 12 to 18 inches high. Mixed. 15c

**GOMPHRENA** (Globe Amaranth). One of the best hardy annual everlasting, growing 18 inches tall. Clover-like blossoms of brilliant purplish red, soft pink and white. Blooms mid-summer to frost. Excellent for winter bouquets. 15c

GOURDS

Mixed Varieties — Small fruited. 15c

**GYPSOPHILA** (Baby's breath). These airy, extremely delicate plants, 2 feet tall, with well branched stalks, produce an abundance of small, misty, pure white flowers. Excellent for bouquets. 15c

**HELICHRYSUM** (Straw flower). Everlasting flowers, large and full. Cut before the flowers fully expand. Hardy annual. 2 feet. Double mixed. 15c

**HELIOTROPE**. This class of plants is one of the finest for house plants and cutting, as the delicious fragrance of all the varieties is very durable. Seed sown early in the spring in the house will make fine plants for summer bedding. Finest mixed. 15c

**HOLLYHOCK**. The annual hollyhock is becoming more popular each year. Hardy annuals, blooming the first season. 6 feet tall. Single mixed. 15c

**HUMULUS JAPONICUS** (Japanese Hop). A vigorous, fast growing annual, with broad, deeply lobed, hairy leaves, variegated with white and yellow against the vivid green. Flowers inconspicuous. Excellent for covering unsightly fences and buildings. 12 feet tall. 15c

HERB SEEDS

(Tax exempt)

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- ANISE** — Annual — Used for garnishing 15c
- BASIL** — Annual — For seasoning 15c
- CHIVES** — Perennial — Mild onion-like flavoring 25c
- CURLED CRESS** — Annual — Used raw for flavoring or garnishing 15c
- DILL** — Annual — For flavoring 15c
- FENNEL** — Annual — Can be eaten raw like celery 15c
- ROSEMARY** — Hardy perennial with fragrant odor, used for seasoning meats and soups 15c
- SAGE** — Perennial — For seasoning 25c
- SUMMER SAVORY** — Annual — For seasoning 15c
- SWEET MARJORAM** — Annual — For seasoning 15c
- TARRAGON** — Annual of pleasing flavor for salads and vinegar flavoring 15c
- THYME** — Perennial — For seasoning 25c

HUNNEMANNIA (Tulip Poppy)

**Sunlite**. The semi-double tulip shaped flowers, with their extra row of petals, on the outside, give the flowers the appearance of being open at all times. The blooms are a beautiful shade of but-tercup yellow. 15c

**HYACINTH BEAN**. Tender, climbing annual. Grown rapidly and is valuable for covering a trellis. The shining purple seed pods are very ornamental. Finest mixed. 15c

**KOCHIA CHILDSII** (Summer Cypress). A splendid ornamental annual plant, forming dense oval bushes, 2 to 2½ ft. high, of small, feathery, light green foliage. As summer advances, this changes to a carmine hue and finally to a fiery red. A very attractive plant. 15c

- LARKSPUR** (Annual Delphinium). One of the best, most attractive and easily grown annuals. The finely cut, leathery foliage, sets off the handsome long floral spikes of double blossoms. Wide range of colors. 3 feet tall.
- Carmine King**. — Carmine Rose. 15c
- Rose King**. 15c
- Lilac Spire** — Lilac. 15c
- Giant Imperial** — Mixed. 15c

(Additional Larkspur on page 26)



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LARKSPUR — (Continued)

**Giant Imperial Blue Bell (All America).** Plants tall, upright, compact with basal branching habit. Delphinium-like spikes of azure blue, double flowers, carried on stems 3 to 4 feet long. 15c

**Giant Imperial White King. (All America).** The cutting spikes are from 24 to 30 inches long; with extremely large, fully double, evenly and closely spaced florets which measure two inches across. The flowers are of a pure glistening white. 15c

**LAVATERA (Mallow).** Beautiful plants 4 feet tall, with numerous spikes, laden with fully double bright rose flowers. 15c

**LINUM Grandiflorum Rubrum, (Scarlet Flax).** A beautiful and effective plant of slender and delicate growth, having a profusion of bright flowers. Hardy annual, about 1½ feet high. 15c

**LOBELIA.** The dwarf varieties are very useful for edging and the trailing varieties for hanging baskets and window boxes.

**Sapphire.** Blue trailing. 25c

**Compacta Crystal Palace.** Six inches dark blue bedding variety. 25c

**LOVE-IN-A-MIST (Nigella).** Oddly shaped blossoms in blue and white, and curious seed pods. Mixed (White and blue shades). 15c

**LUPIN (Annual, See Lupinus for perennial).** Showy plants, with long spikes of various colored pea-like flowers, very desirable for mixed borders. Fine mixed. 15c

MARIGOLD

**Signata Pumila (Little Giant).** Dainty, delicate plants, 4 to 6 inches high. 15c

Double African Varieties

**Orange Prince.** A double variety with quilled petals, flowers showy, bloom very early. 15c

**Lemon Queen.** Large, lemon-colored flowers. 15c

**Mixed colors.** 15c

French Varieties

**Tall double mixed.** 15c

**Dwarf double mixed.** 15c

**French Dwarf Double. Harmony hybrids (new).** This excellent new marigold has a wide and varied color range. Plants 12 to 14 inches tall. 100% double. 25c

**French Dwarf Double. Magic colors (new).** This excellent Marigold has a wide range of new colors. 25c

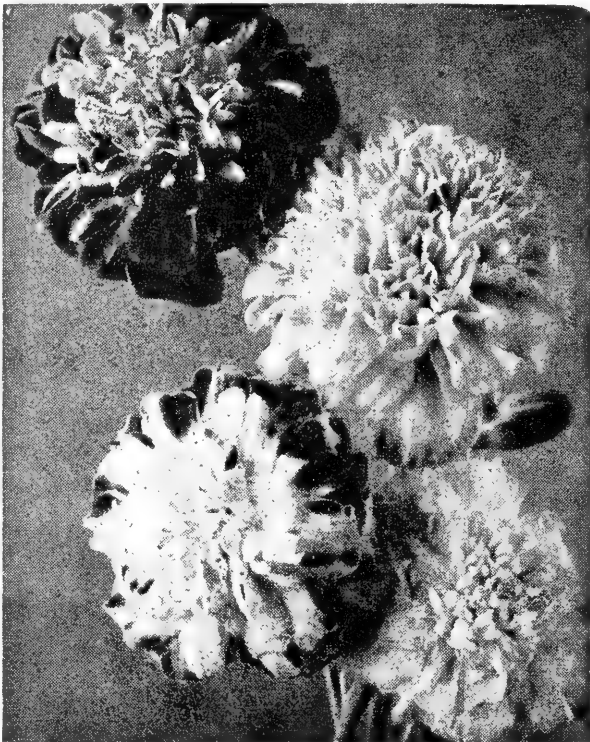
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MARIGOLD — (Continued)

**Crown of Gold.** The new Collarette. 25c

**All Double.** New strain of Dwarf French. 20c

**Sunset Giants.** Flowers of exceptional size and beauty. 20c



Marigold — French Dwarf Double

**Yellow Supreme.** A yellow companion to Guinea Gold. 20c

**Spry.** The most profuse blooming of all Double French Marigolds. Flowers are double, with bright yellow, pin-cushion center crests surrounded by several rows of mahogany-red guard petals. They grow 1½ to 1¾ in. across and completely cover the tiny plants. 15c

**Guinea Gold.** The most glorious and lovely of all Marigolds. The color is the richest, purest orange-gold imaginable. 15c

**Cupid (new).** A compact, low growing Marigold, profusely covered with large, canary yellow, full double blooms over a long season. A mass of neat brightness for flower borders and beds. 25c

**Chrysanthemum Flowered Hybrids.** 20c

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**MIGNONETTE (Reseda).** For bedding or for border. Six to 12 in. high. Large flowered. Very sweet. 15c

**MARVEL OF PERU.** Flowers of this old-fashioned favorite open about four o'clock in the afternoon. Plants 2 feet high, with bright foliage and fragrant flowers of desirable colors. Mixed colors. 15c

**MIMULUS (Monkey Flower).** Handsome flowers of easy cultivation. Perennial in the greenhouse, annual out of doors. 10 inches high. Mixed spotted varieties. 15c

### MORNING GLORY

**Convolvulus — Major (Old-fashioned Morning Glory).** A handsome, showy climber of easy culture and suitable for covering trellises, etc. Mixed choice colors. 15c

**Clark's Heavenly Blue.** This strain is well known and widely used. Flowers measure 3½ to 4 inches across, deep blue with white throat. A very profuse bloomer. 20c

**DARLING.** A new Bodger creation. Sparkling new bicolor Morning Glory, claret red with snowy white throat. Same characteristics as Scarlet O'Hara but such an improvement it has replaced the Scarlet O'Hara. 20c

**Pearly Gates.** Flowers are a lovely white averaging 4½ inches in diameter. Pearly Gates is a wonderful companion to Heavenly Blue and Darling. 20c

**MOONFLOWER.** A beautiful vine which grows very rapidly. Blossoms evenings and cloudy days.

**Grandiflora Alba.** Large white flowers. 15c

**Giant Pink.** Soft lilac-pink flowers. 15c

**Heavenly Blue.** Early flowering. 15c

### MOURNING BRIDE (Scabiosa)

A very showy free-flowering plant, producing a profusion of beautiful and richly-colored double flowers. Beautiful in the garden and excellent for bouquets. 24 to 30 inches high.

Mixed colors. 15c

### NASTURTIUM

**Bodger's New Double Sweet-Scented Golden Gleam.** The brilliant, golden yellow flowers are produced in unbelievable abundance. 15c

**Scarlet Gleam (All America Award).** The flowers are large, full petaled, waved, fluted and extremely showy. The long stemmed orange scarlet flowers make a dazzling splash of color. 15c

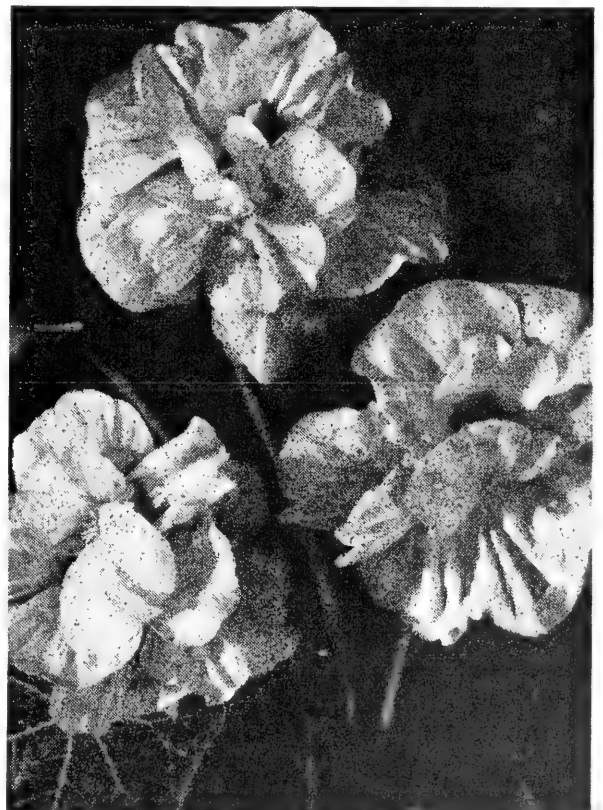
**Gleam Hybrids (All America Award).** Delightfully sweet scented, double and in a remarkable color range. 15c

#### Dwarf Mixed Nasturtiums

"A. S. & L." Extra choice mixture. Our own mixture from a selection of named varieties and colors. Nothing finer. 12 inches high. oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00 15c

#### Tall Mixed Nasturtiums

"A. S. & L." Extra choice mixture. Our own selection. 5 feet tall. oz. 35c; ¼ lb. \$1.00 15c



Nasturtium Golden Gleam

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**NEMESIA STRUMOSA SUTTONII.**

For pot culture and open border. Hardy annual. 1 foot. Mixed colors. 25c

**NEMOPHILA (Baby Blue Eyes).** A hardy annual, 6 inches high, quite spreading with divided bright green leaves. Useful in low beds and as a ground cover. Mixed. 15c

**NICOTIANA.** Showy plants with slender, tall, flowering stems and fragrant flowers, half-hardy annuals. About 3 feet high. Mixed hybrids. All colors. 15c

**PANSY**

**A. S. & L. Special mixed.** A superb mixture containing the finest types of pansies and many new sunburst pansies, smoky rims, henna shades, with fine long stems. 20c

**Choice Mixed.** A good mixture of the more common types. 15c

**Swiss Giants Mixed.** The outstanding pansy novelty, with wide color range, size, earliness, substance and continuity of bloom. A perfect strain. 25c

**PASSION FLOWER (Passiflora).** A half-hardy, perennial climber, bearing attractive blue fringed flowers. Height 10 to 15 feet. 15c

**PHLOX DRUMMONDII (Grandiflora).** One of the most satisfactory bedding plants. A hardy annual growing about one foot high, bearing beautiful and brilliant flowers. Pink, White, Lilac, Crimson, Primrose. Mixed. Best large-flowering varieties. 25c

**PETUNIA**

**A. S. & L. Choice Mixed.** Striped and blotched. 15c

**Carnival. (new).** Wide range of colors. Flowers variegated. Average 3½ inches across. 50c

**Celestial Rose.** Compacta growing strain. Plants vigorous, dwarf, early flowering producing a wealth of deep rose flowers. 15c

**Giants of California.** Dwarf flowers very large and deeply fringed. A variety of colors. 50c

**Violacea.** Dwarf, single flowered. Deep velvety purple, extra fine. 25c

**Hybrida Nana Compacta Mixed.** A new strain of dwarf compact petunia. Plants form a perfect ball, 8 to 10 inches high, covered with large, beautiful flowers, in a wide range of colors. 15c

**PETUNIA — (Continued)**

**Howard's Star Improved.** Dark velvety purple, blotched white. 25c



**Petunia-Dwarf Giants of California  
Ramona Strain**

**Martha Washington (All America Award).** The frilled portion of the flower is a beautiful bluish pink and the center portion is a rich wine red deepening in the throat to dark violet. 25c

**Flaming Velvet (All America Gold Selection).** The blooms are large and of an unusually attractive velvety blood red or crimson. 25c

**Double Fringed. All Double Mixed.** This is a gorgeous strain of all Double Giant Fringed Dwarf Victorious. 75c

**Elk's Pride.** A beautiful, grandiflora petunia with plain edged flowers. Elks' Pride is the best, largest and darkest velvety purple variety. 25c

**Snowball.** Finest white in the dwarf, small flowered class. Flowers are relatively large and cover the compact plants. Pure white, satin texture. 25c

**Comanche (A new Bodger introduction).** Rich, bright and uniform—scarlet with outstanding characteristics of growth, erect 12 inch plants. 50c

**SPECIAL — (New)**

**"Red Satin" and "Pink Satin" Hybrid  
Petunias — featured on page 20**

**POPPY**

The seed should be sown as early in the spring as possible where plants are to remain. They do not stand transplanting. Thin 6 to 10 inches apart. If left thick the plant will be weak and the blossoms inferior.

**Shirley Varieties**

The most beautiful type of poppies, having soft foliage and an immense variety of blossoms in white, pink, lavender, purple, shades of red and scarlet, the best and most showy of all single poppies.

A. S. & L. Double mixed.

15c

A. S. & L. Single mixed.

15c

**Double Carnation****Flowered**

Large carnation-like double flowers, in a wide range of colors

**Regret — Seed failure this year**

**PORTLUCA**

Flowers of double variety like small roses. Sow seed in open ground as soon as the weather is warm, or in a hotbed earlier. The plants can be transplanted when in full flower. Six inches high.

Double mixed colors 25c

Single mixed colors 15c

**RHODANTHE**

(Swan River Everlasting). Hardy annual, 12 in. high, having graceful, slender stems with silky, straw-like flowers, white, pink and red. One of the best everlastings for winter bouquets. Fine single mixed.

15c

**RICINUS (Caster Oil Bean).**

**Zanzibariensis mixed.** A very large-leaved variety, light and dark green and bronze foliage, 10 to 12 feet.

15c

**ROCK GARDEN ANNUALS.** A splendid mixture of hardy annuals adapted for garden plantings.

15c

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**SALPIGLOSSIS.** Very showy half-hardy annual, with large veined funnel shaped flowers, much prized for cutting. This is an indispensable annual to give color to the garden or border.

Mixed.

15c

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**SCABIOSA**

**Blue Cockade.** Pure deep Azure-Blue flowers.

15c

**Heavenly Blue.** Azure-Blue. Very early double. Dwarf, 18 inches.

25c

**Loveliness.** Soft Salmon Rose.

15c

**Rosette.** Glorious new color. A beautiful shade of Deep rose, suffused with Salmon.

20c

**SALVIA****St. John's Fire**

— The reddest of all Salvias. Flowers early-remaining in bloom until frost. The bright scarlet spikes stand densely above the foliage on the uniformly compact plant.

35c

**America**

Dwarf, compact growth, brilliant scarlet flowers.

25c

**Bonfire.** Very compact, with long, erect spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers. 18 in. high.

25c

**SALPIGLOSSIS****SAPONARIA VACCARIA (Soapwort).**

A hardy annual, growing 2 to 3 feet tall, producing large gypsophila-like blooms. Excellent for bedding and cutting. Rose, White.

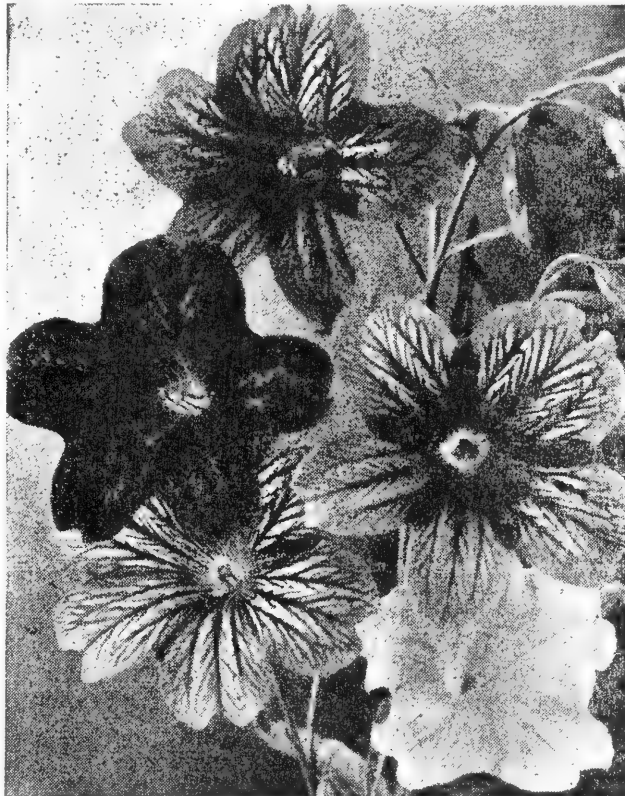
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**SCHIZANTHUS.** Hardy annuals, growing 1½ to 2 feet high, and covered with bright, showy, butterfly-like blossoms. Choice mixed, large flowering.

15c

**STATICE (Sea Lavender).** Suworowi. Popular for house decoration. Flowers bright rose color. Height 18 inches.

15c

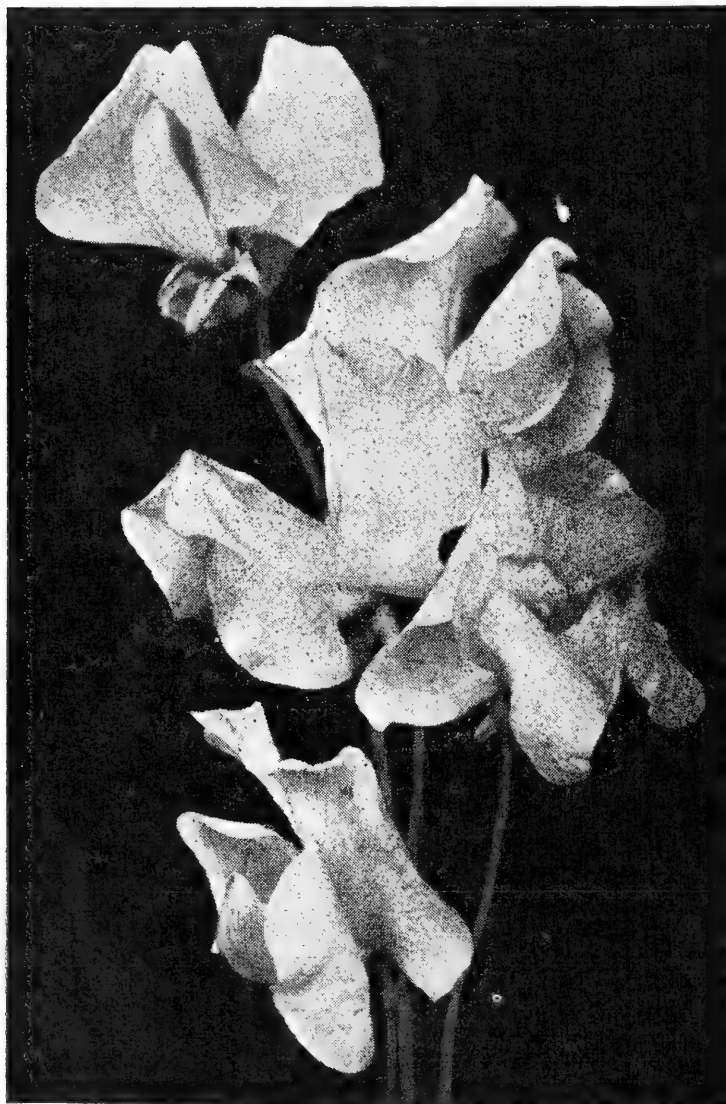




## Sweet Peas

The popularity of Sweet Peas is demonstrated by the many and beautiful varieties that are introduced each year. Our list includes all the best up-to-date varieties.

Sow as early as the ground can be prepared in a rich, moist soil, in drills 6 inches deep, covering about 2 inches. As the vines grow, fill up the trenches with soil and thin out to about 4 or 5 inches apart. A popular plan at the present time is to sow in double rows with a trellis or a row of brush between. One-quarter of a pound of seed will sow fifty feet.



### "Grand National"

Collection of 16 Giant Sweet Peas for  
\$2.00

One pkt. each as listed below

#### Summer Flowering Varieties

**Admiral.** Dark Navy Blue.  
**Black Diamond.** Dark Maroon.  
**Blue Bell.** Clear Mid Blue.  
**Bonnie Lassie.** Bright Cream Pink.  
**Elstree.** Bright Pink on Cream.  
**Gigantic.** Best White.  
**Gold Crest.** Orange Tinted Salmon.  
**Highlander.** Clear Lavender.  
**Mastercream.** Cream.  
**Mavis.** Rich Sunproof Salmon Pink.  
**Mayfair.** Blush Pink on White.  
**Olympia.** Rich Purple.  
**Pinkie.** Large Rose Pink.  
**Rubicon.** Crimson Scarlet.  
**Smiles.** Salmon Pink.  
**Thriller.** Orange Scarlet.

Price: Any of the above  
 Pkt. 15c; oz. 50c; ¼ lb. \$1.50

#### A. S. & L. Superb Spencer Mixed

Our own mixture of true Spencer types only. As fine a collection of Sweet Peas as can be purchased anywhere.  
 Pkt. 15c; oz. 30c; ¼ lb. \$1.00; 1 lb. \$3.00

#### Cuthbertson Strain Sweet Peas

Early flowering, **heat resistant**, producing very large blooms on long stems. Mixed colors only —  
 Pkt. 15c; ½ oz. 40c; oz. 60.

**ZVOLANEK'S Multiflora Sweet Peas.** A new development in Sweet Peas, coming into flower between the Cuthbertson and Early or Winter Flowering Group.  
 1 oz. 80c; ¼ lb. \$2.50.

#### EARLY WINTER FLOWERING VARIETIES FOR GREENHOUSE

**Balls Orange** — deep orange  
**Mariner** — clear marine blue  
**Shirley Temple** — soft rose pink

**Twilight** — best lavender  
**Vulcan** — best scarlet  
**White Harmony** — black seeded

Pkt. 25c; oz. 66c; ¼ lb. \$1.75

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**STOCKS.** Hardy annuals, 18 inches high, with spikes densely covered with beautiful double flowers of almost every desirable tint.

**Early Giant Imperial Stocks (Improved Bismark).** Of branching habit, the large flowers and long stems of this class make it especially desirable for cutting. Height about 26 inches

**Buttercup.** A charming shade of deep rich yellow. Very desirable for cutting. 25c

**Dark Blue or Purple.** Excellent for forcing or for out of doors plantings. 25c

**Flesh.** This is a fine delightful shade of bright flesh pink. 25c

**Lavender.** Really a delicate shade which may be classed as silvery lilac. 25c

**Rose.** Quite outstanding and popular. A beautiful shade of deep rose pink. One of the best for forcing. 25c

**Shasta.** One of the best varieties, producing large, pure, glistening, white flowers. Plants tall and robust. 25c

**Choice mixed.** 25c

**SUNFLOWER (Helianthus).** Hardy annuals, growing from 3 to 6 feet high.

**Sungold.** Splendid variety, medium size flowers with good assortment of colors. 15c

**Sutton's Red.** Single large red flowers, shading to yellow at tips of petals. Height 6 feet. 15c

**Mammoth Russian.** Large yellow. 15c

**SWEET SULTAN.** Large, sweet-scented flowers. Finest mixed. 15c

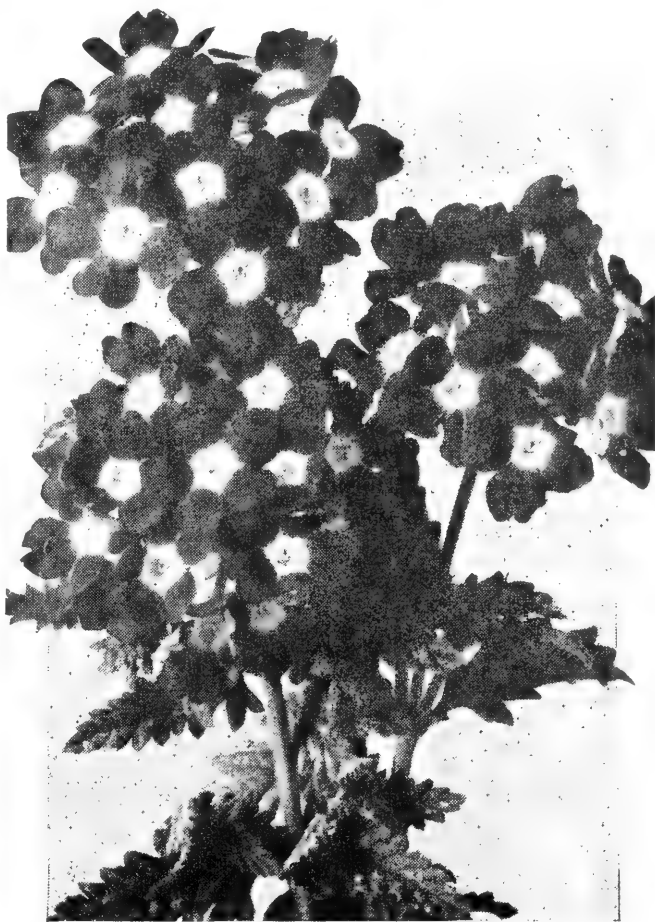
**SWEET WILLIAM (Annual).** An excellent blend of colors and types. If sown early plants will flower during the late Summer. 15c

**TEXAS BLUE BONNET (Lupine Texanus).** A true Lupine, native of Texas and its state flower. Beautiful dark blue flowers tinged with white. 15c

**THUNBERGIA (Black Eyed Susan).** Beautiful annual trailing plant for hanging baskets and vases, 4 ft. Mixed colors. 15c

**TITHONIA (Torch All America Selection).** Its orange-red, blooms from August to frost, compact, and easy to grow. 25c

**VENIDIUM FASTUOSUM.** Deep orange daisy-like flowers, 3 to 4 inches across, with a double row of petals. Upper row marked at center with a reddish brown zone. Foliage soft gray. Plants 2 to 3 feet. 15c



Verbena

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**VERBENA.** The rich colors of the fragrant Verbena have been found in our gardens for years. Lovely Mayflower! we might omit many annuals but never the Mayflower Verbena, for the colors are like those of the Trailing Arbutus.

**Mayflower.** Various shades of pink. 15c

**Blue Shades** (without an eye). 15c

**White.** Dense heads of finely shaped white flowers. 15c

**Mammoth mixed.** 15c

**WILD CUCUMBER.** A vine of astonishingly quick growth, with dense, dark green foliage and inconspicuous white flowers. Excellent for covering unsightly objects where its rank habit will not prove troublesome. 15c

#### ANNUAL FLOWER SEEDS MIXTURE.

A mixture of easily grown varieties of Flower Seeds for sowing broadcast, require very little care and produce a continual display of bloom throughout the season.

oz. 50c; Pkt. 15c.

## Zinnia

Zinnia is one of the most popular and easily grown annuals. The plants are vigorous, growing from one to three feet tall, depending upon the type. Seeds should be planted indoors in March or sown in the open as soon as the ground is warm. Transplant seedlings in beds or rows, spacing plants from one to two feet apart.

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**"A. S. & L." Mammoth Double.** This strain of zinnia will produce large, beautiful, artistic, well formed flowers, in a wide range of colors from white to purple.

**"A. S. & L." Art Shades.** Super Cream of Gold. Pastel tints. The flowers are of immense size.

**Cut and Come Again.** Bushy plants with a wealth of bloom. Fine for edgings or mass planting. The more they are cut, the more they bloom.

**Lilliput or Pompon.** A wrarf, branching type, 12 to 18 inches tall. The double conical flowers are 1 to 1½ in. across.

**Persian Carpet**  
A miniature Zinnia ideal for Garden borders. Flowers variegated — about the size of a silver dollar.

**Fantasy.** The rounded flowers are composed of shaggy, ray-like petals, in colors including the brightest shades of reds and orange, as well as popular pastel pinks and cream.

**Cupid Mixed (new).** Tiniest of all the Baby Zinnias. This new Cupid mixture contains all colors including many bi-color hybrids and belongs right in front in your Garden of Zinnias.

**Peppermint Stick (new).** For the middle border. Three inch candy-striped flowers in all colors on eighteen inch cut and come again plants.

**New Zinnias** with grace and refinement. **Giant Cactus Flowered Hybrids.** Mixed colors

**BLAZE.** Outstanding All America Selection 1954. The vivid flaming mandarin red — shades to a burnt scarlet orange as the flower grows to maturity.

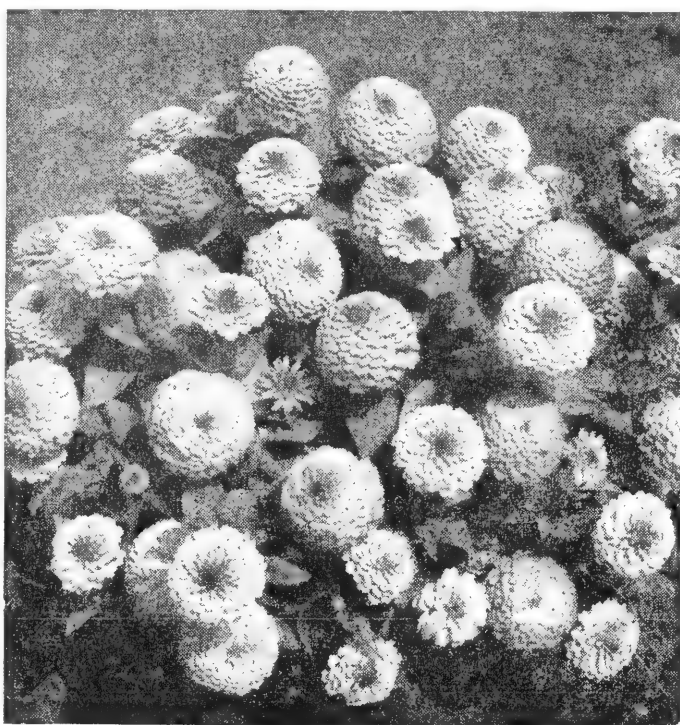
**Buttercup.** A large deep creamy yellow.

**Crimson Monarch.** By far the largest and best of the red shades. Flowers often 8 inches in diameter.

**Dream.** A fine deep lavender, turning to purple.

**Exquisite.** Color, light rose with center a deep rose.

**Golden State.** A very rich orange yellow



ZINNIA — Pompon

**Polar Bear.** Very large pure white.

**Purple Prince.** Deep purple.

**Scarlet Flame.** A large, beautiful bright scarlet, with a blending of orange.

**Bodger's Gold Medal mixture.** Containing all the varieties, grown as separate colors.

**Scabiosa Flowered mixture.** Among the oddest and most attractive zinnia forms developed, deserving to be more widely grown.

**Haagera Double (Mexican hybrids).** The small flowered Mexican zinnias are charming. The smaller flowers lend themselves to bedding and make a brilliant display.

## "Sterling Quality" Hardy Perennials and Biennials

This class of flowers is coming into increased favor each year. The seed may be sown in the spring, or later in July or August. If sown at the latter time, it is well to sow in a shaded, moist place, or to keep the ground shaded and well watered until the sprouts appear.

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### ACHILLEA (Sneezwort Yarrow).

**The Pearl.** One of the best perennials for cutting. Plants, 2 feet tall, bear numerous clusters of double, satin white flowers.

25c

### ACONITUM (Monk's Hood).

Hardy perennial, with helmet-shaped flowers, growing in any good garden soil. Thrives best when planted among shrubbery or in shady situations. 3 feet.

**Wilsni.** Large dark blue.

25c

### ALYSSUM

#### Saxatile Compactum. (Basket of Gold).

Hardy perennial for early spring bedding, producing a mass of bright yellow flowers. A good rock plant. Height 9 inches.

15c

**Saxatile Citrinum.** Flowers palest lemon, is much more lovely in its delicate coloring than compactum and is seldom seen. Height 12 inches.

25c

### ANEMONE (Windflower)

**St. Bridig.** Large semi-double and double cup shaped blooms of a wide range of colors, produced early in spring. Plants 12 inches high. Mixed.

25c

### AMPELOPSIS VEITCHII (Boston Ivy).

The best hardy vine for covering brick or stone buildings. Foliage turns to scarlet in the autumn.

15c

### AQUILEGIA (Columbine).

Aquilegia is one of our late spring and early summer flowering perennials. It will thrive in a semi-shaded position and it is best to raise new plants from seed. Single, mixed colors.

15c

**Mrs. Scott Elliott,** a long spurred double mixed.

25c

### ARABIS.

One of the earliest spring flowers. The spreading silver green tufts are covered with a sheet of pure white flowers as soon as the snow disappears. Valuable for edging and rockeries. Height 6 inches.

15c

**ARNICA MONTANA.** Seed not obtainable this season.

### ASTER PERRENIAL (Michaelmas Daisy).

Plants, 3 feet tall, sturdy, branch near the top, producing quantities of daisy-like flowers, in a variety of soft and vivid colors. Fall blooming. Mixed.

25c

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WE PAY POSTAGE ON FLOWER SEEDS

BUT PLEASE INCLUDE 3% SALES TAX

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**Aquilegia Long Spurred Mixed**

### AGROSTEMIA (Mullien Pink).

A hardy perennial, 18 inches high, with downy foliage of silver gray that contrasts with the vivid blood red flowers.

15c

### ANCHUSA.

The Anchusas provide some of the best flowers of our gardens. They are a rich gentian blue, produced in long, loose sprays during June and July. Height 3 to 4 feet.

**Italica, Lissadell.** An improved form of the Dropmore variety.

15c



## Hardy Perennials and Biennials — continued

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**BELLIS PERENNIS (Double Daisy).** Sow seed very early. The flowers are abundant in early spring and may be continued later by the use of water. 6 inches high.

**Snowball.** Large, double pure white. 40c  
Finest mixed. 40c

**CANTERBURY BELLS (Biennial).** Large bell-shaped flowers which are very effective. Succeeds best in light, rich soil. Transplant two feet apart. Height 2 to 4 feet.

Single, fine mixed. 15c  
Double, fine mixed. 15c  
Cup and Saucer, Blue, Rose, White. 15c  
Choice mixed, Cup and Saucer. 15c

**CARNATION**

**Chaubaud's Giant Double.** The plants, 18 inches high, robust and erect, produce beautiful double clove scented flowers of extra large size. Perennial, blooms in six months from seeding.

Mixed. 25c

**CERASTIUM (Snow in Summer).** Luxuriant, fast growing creeper, 6 inches, for edgings and sunny locations in rock gardens. The silvery white foliage and small white flowers give the effect of snow.

15c

**CHERIANTHUS ALLIONI (Siberian Wallflower).** Biennial. Brilliant orange flower trusses or plants 12 inches high. Excellent for rockeries.

15c

**COREOPSIS (Golden Wave).** Grandiflora. Double Sunburst. Sunburst is a pleasant change from the well known single form, retaining its beauty of color while augmenting its effect of brilliance through the doubling of petals.

15c

**DELPHINIUM (Hardy Larkspur)**

**Formosum.** Deep blue. 4 feet. 15c

**Pacific Giants.** A remarkable new strain. Flowers 2½ in. to 3½ in. in diameter well spaced on tall stems—fully double. 25c

**Belladonna.** Light Blue. 15c

**Galahad.** Clear White. 25c

**DIANTHUS (Hardy Garden Pinks).** Double Clove. A hardy perennial pink, very fragrant, choice colors. 15c

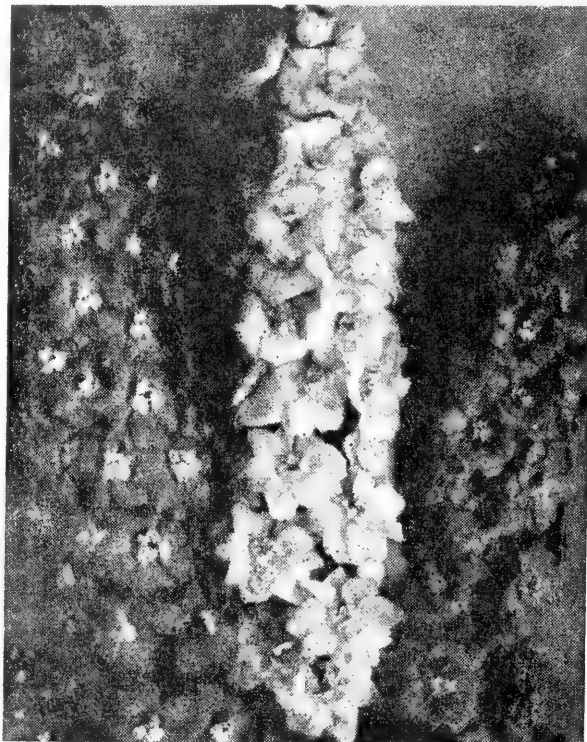
**Plumarius (Grass Pink, or Pheasant-eye Pink).** A single hardy Pink with fringed-edged, fragrant flowers, mixed colors. 15c

**FORGET-ME-NOT (Myosotis).** Small star-like flowers borne in clusters. The plant is of easy culture and blooms the first year if seed is sown early. Four to nine inches.

**Indigo Blue.** Large dark blue flowers. 25c

**Rose.** 25c

**Fine mixed.** 25c



Delphinium Pacific Giant

**FOXGLOVE (Digitalis) Biennial.** The Foxgloves are highly ornamental plants. 3 ft. tall. They are fine for the mixed border or planted singly in half-shady places near a walk or drive. The spikes of flowers are often two feet in length. Perfectly hardy. Sow seed in spring in the garden and transplant as desired.

Mixed varieties 15c

**GEUM. Mrs. Bradshaw.** This hardy perennial, 2 feet tall, produces large, double, dazzling, orange scarlet blooms, over a rosette of leaves. 15c

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**OUR PERENNIALS — BODGER GROWN**

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## Hardy Perennials and Biennia's — continued

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**GAILLARDIA.** Showy and hardy perennials, flowering from July to October. Three feet.

**Grandiflora Hybrida.** Finest mixed. 15c

**GYPSOPHILA (Baby' Breath).** Free-flowering plants, succeeding in any garden soil. Fine for bouquets. 3 feet tall.

**Paniculata.** White flowers. 15c

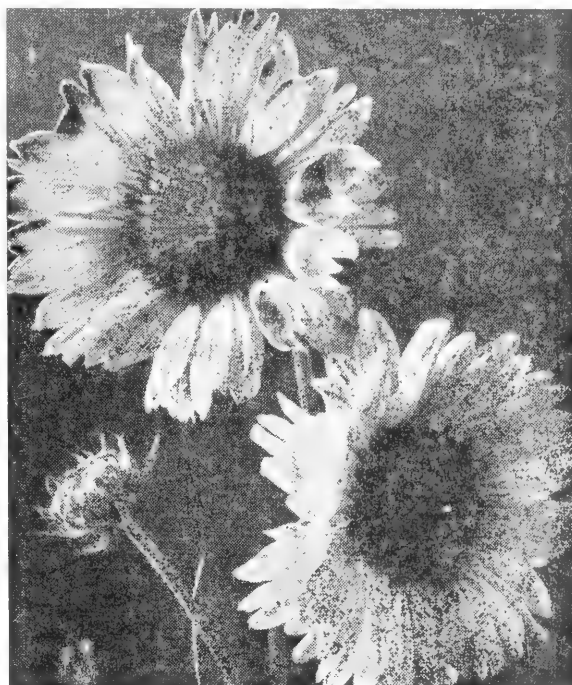
**Paniculata.** Double white. 25c

**HELIANTHEMUM (Dwarf Sun Rose).**

**Mutabile.** A lovely dwarf perennial, 6 inches high, which produces rose, pink and white blooms during May and June. Excellent for rockeries and embankments. 15c

**HEUCHERA (Coral Bells).** An excellent dwarf perennial for semi-shaded locations. Plants 12 inches high, compact, producing numerous bell-like crimson flowers. 25c

**HONESTY (Satin Flower).** The flat, silvery seed pods are used for winter decoration. Very handsome, free-flowering. Hardy biennial. 2 feet. 15c



Gaillardia Grandiflora



Double Hollyhock

**HOLLYHOCK.** Plants of upright, stately growth, 5 to 8 feet high. The double varieties are the most desirable. The hollyhocks are very effective when planted in long rows with a background of shrubbery.

**Chater's Double Varieties**

**Peach Blossom.** White, Red, Yellow, Newport Pink and mixed. 15c

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**IBERSIS (Perennial Candytuft).** Sem-pervirens. It is of spreading habit of growth, 8-12 inches high and is covered with large flat clusters of small white flowers. Excellent for rockeries. 15c

**LATHYRUS (Perennial Sweet Pea).** **Latifolius.** An excellent hardy perennial, 5 ft. tall, producing large clusters of waxy blooms, Crimson, Pink and White. Mixed. 15c

**LAVENDULA VERA (Sweet Lavender).** Plants 2 ft. tall, with delicate gray foliage and small lavender flowers. Grown for fragrance of flowers. Thrives in any type of soil. 15c

**LINUM (Flax).** **Perenne.** Beautiful light blue flowers, borne profusely on graceful plants, two feet tall. Flowering May until August. 15c

**LUPINUS (Lupin).** Graceful, long spikes, pea-like flowers. Beautiful hardy plants for borders, beds and for cutting. Blue, Rose, Pink, White and mixed. 15c

**RUSSELL LUPIN.** The most sensational introduction for many years. The finest strain of perennial Lupins in the world. Long, symmetrical, closely furnished spikes in an indescribably rich variety of brilliant colors. Height 2½ to 3 feet. 25c

**LYCHINIS (Jerusalem Cross).** **Chalcedonica.** Large, brilliant scarlet cross-shaped flowers, vigorous plants, 2 feet tall. Blooming June and July. 15c

PER PKT.

**PENSTEMON.** Handsome, half-hardy, perennial plants, growing about 2 feet high and are effective for bedding and borders. The flowers are bell shaped or tubular, about 2 inches long and are borne on long, graceful spikes. The colors cover a wide range and include white, pink, rose, purple, etc. Plants will bloom first year if started early. 25c

**PHLOX (Decussata).** Hardy plants producing large heads of showy flowers, 3 feet. Mixed colors. 25c

**PLATYCODON (Balloon flower).** *Grandiflora.* Blue. Plants, 2 feet tall bear large, deep blue bell-shaped flowers, blooming from July until frost. 15c

**POLYANTHUS (Primula Elatior).** Early spring free-flowering plants, fine for either pot or outdoor culture, 6 in. Choice Mixed. 25c

**POPPY (Papaver)**  
**Orientele.** True orange-scarlet oriental poppy. 3 feet tall. Very striking. 15c

**Mrs. Perry.** Flowers large, delicate shrimp pink. Plants vigorous and well foliated. 25c

**Mixed.** An excellent mixture of shades of pink and red. 15c

**Iceland Poppy (Papaver Nudicaule).** A hardy perennial, 12 inches tall, with graceful fern-like, bright green foliage. Flowers dainty, delicate, of appealing shades of yellow, orange and rose. An excellent mixture. 15c

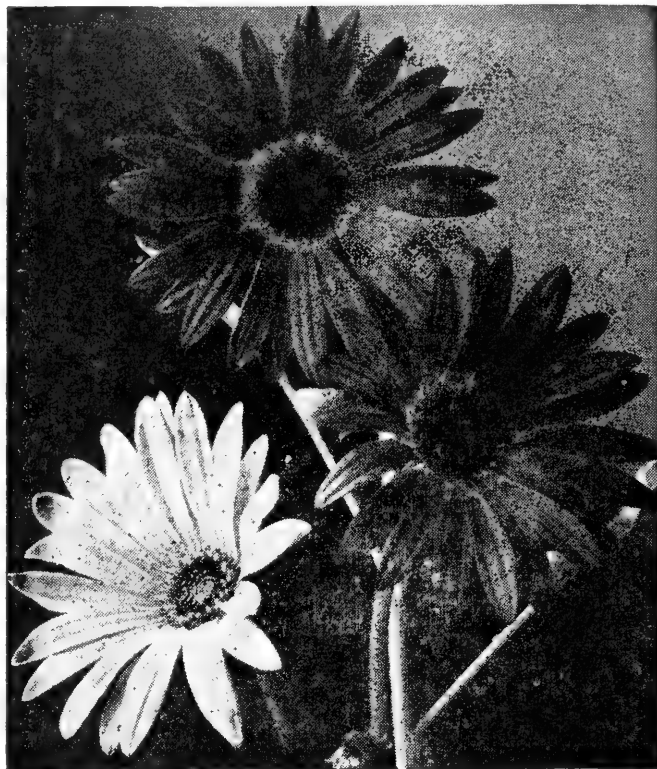
**Coonara Pink.** Lovely large, beautiful flowers of delicate pink shades. Regret — Seed not obtainable this year.

**Iceland Yellow Wonder.** A gorgeous Giant Iceland Poppy. The plants produce many, extra large rich yellow flowers. Regret — Seed not obtainable this year.

**PHYSALIS (Chinese Lantern Plant).** An ornamental plant, forming dense bushes about 2 feet high, producing freely its bright orange-scarlet lantern-like fruits, which can be cut and dried for winter bouquets. (Not obtainable).

**PHYSOSTEGIA (False Dragon Head).** A beautiful, hardy vigorous perennial, 4 feet tall, producing a wealth of showy rosy lilac flowers. 15c

**PYRETHRUM HYBRIDUM (Painted Daisy).** Hardy perennial, bearing large Daisy-like flowers, ranging in color from white to deep red, with bright yellow centers. 25c



**Pyrethrum Hybridum (Painted Daisy)**

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**SHASTA DAISY. Alaska.** The most popular of the hardy daisies. Plants 2½ feet tall. Flowers very large, pure white with small yellow centers. 15c

**Giant Double Shasta Daisy.** This is a very decided departure from the Giant Single Alaska Shasta Daisy. The flowers are large and are carried on long wiry stems. A very delightful perennial. 15c

**RUDBECKIA (Cone Flower).** Robust-growing plants, very popular for border decoration.  
**Newmanii.** Golden yellow with black center. 15c

**SALVIA FARINACEA.** This half-hardy perennial, 3 feet tall, produces, above a dense tuft of leaves, tall slender spikes ringed with small, tubular, dusty blue florets. Desirable for cutting. 25c

**SCABIOSA CAUCASICA.** An old-fashioned favorite, producing large, lavender blue flowers on long stems from June to September. Plants 2 feet tall. 25c

**STATICE (Sea Lavender).** Beautiful hardy perennial, free-flowering and of easy culture in poor soils and dry situations, when dried can be used in winter bouquets. 2 feet tall. Choice mixed. 15c

## Hardy Perennials and Biennials — continued

	PER DOZ.		PER DOZ.
<b>STOKESIA</b> (Stokes Aster). <b>Cyanea</b> . The showy, free-flowering plants, 16 in. tall, produce handsome rich blue flowers from July until October. Excellent for cutting.	15c	<b>TUNICA</b> . <b>Saxifraga</b> . An excellent, dwarf rock garden and border plant, 8 inches high. Small, light pink flowers borne in profusion all summer.	15c
<b>SWEET ROCKET</b> . Very fragrant, growing freely in ordinary soils, 2 feet tall. Purple and white. Mixed.	15c	<b>VALERIANA</b> (Garden Heliotrope). Showy, hardy border plants, 2 feet tall, producing large corymbs of red, white and pink flowers. Excellent for bouquets. Mixed.	15c
<b>SWEET WILLIAM</b> . An old-fashioned plant, producing large heads of beautifully colored, sweet-scented flowers. It is hardy and easily grown. 1½ feet. Newport pink.	15c	<b>VERBENA VENOSA</b> . A hardy garden Verbena of spreading habit. Large purplish blue flowers borne throughout the Summer and Fall. Height 18 inches.	15c
Double, mixed.	15c	<b>VIOLA CORNUTA</b> . Tufted Pansies. Attractive, free-blooming plants, 8 inches high. Blooms during Summer.	25c
Finest single, mixed.	15c	<b>WALLFLOWER</b> . Stocky upright plants, 12 inches high, branching near the base, into erect stalks with thick lance-like leaves.	15c
<b>Dwarf Varieties</b>		Mixed.	15c
Single mixed (6 to 8 in.)	25c		
Double mixed (6 to 8 in.)	25c		
<b>TRITOMA HYBRIDA</b> (Red Hot Poker). One of the curious and unusual bedding plants, 3 feet tall, with peculiar flower spikes shading from yellow to attractive scarlet. Easily raised from seed. Blooms July and August.	15c		

## Rock Garden Flower Seeds

	PER PKT.		PER PKT.
<b>Alyssum</b> (Saxatile Compactum). Plants dwarf, compact, 12 inches tall. Showy, bright yellow flowers.	15c	<b>Gypsophila</b> (Repens) <b>White</b> . One of the best procumbent rock plants. Small white flowers borne in profusion.	15c
<b>Aquilegia</b> (Long Spurred Hybrids). Also called Columbine. Plants, 2 feet tall, with showy, graceful flowers, containing all of the colors of the large flowered and long spurred forms.	25c	<b>Geum</b> (Lady Stratheden). A beautiful hardy perennial, 18 inches tall. Fine rich, golden yellow flowers borne in profusion.	20c
<b>Cerastium</b> (Biebersteini). One of the best low growing rock plants. Pretty gray foliage growing in compact clumps. Flowers white. Height 6 inches.	15c	<b>Oenothera</b> (Macrocarpa). Plants, 6 inches tall, with long trailing stems, producing large yellow flowers, followed by large winged seeds.	15c
<b>Dianthus</b> (Deltoides). An improved form of the Maiden Rock Pink. Plants, 6 to 9 inches high, covered with tiny gorgeous rosy-crimson flowers.	15c	<b>Saponaria</b> (Ocymoides). Height 6 inches. A showy, dwarf, trailing plant producing a sheet of crimson flowers, from June-August.	15c
<b>Gypsophila</b> (Repens) <b>Rose</b> . An excellent trailing plant for the rockery. Covered during July and August with myriads of small rose flowers.	15c	<b>Statice</b> (Latifolia). Hardy perennial, 2 feet tall, with large branching heads of clear mauve flowers. Flowers can be dried for winter bouquets.	15c
		<b>Perennial Rock Gardens</b> . An excellent mixture of the best perennials for rock garden plantings.	15c

Rock Garden Collection — 10 Pkts. for \$1.50 — plus 3 cents tax



## A. S. & L. Gladiolus Bulbs

A new up-to-date list with prices very low for the quality and varieties offerd.

Our **named** varieties are all Jumbo size, treated bulbs. It is always safe, however, to dust the bulbs before planting to avoid contamination.

**Spergon Gladiolus Dust.** — Controls Thrip and Corm decay. A dust containing Spergon and D.D.T. to be applied to bulbs before planting or storage in the Fall.

2 oz. envelope 50c; 1 lb. container \$2.00 (Add 3% Sales Tax)

**ACCA LAURENTIA** scarlet orange  
**BLOEMFONTAIN** salmon, yellow blotch  
**FIRMAMENT** clear medium blue  
**GEN. EISENHOWER** deep salmon rose  
**HAN VAN MEEGEREN** yellow  
**JOHANN STRAUS** large clear red  
**LAVENDER DREAM** light lavender  
**LEEUVENHORST** rose, silver border  
**MANSOER** blood red  
**MORNING KISS** large pure white  
**PAUL RUBENS** deep violet  
**ROSA VAN LIMA** pure pink  
**SNOW PRINCESS** white

### PRICES

Any of the above named varieties:

\$1.50 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100 —  
 add 3 per cent sales tax. Postpaid

### A. S. & L. RAINBOW MIXTURE

A good mixture of flowering bulbs.

\$1.00 per doz. — \$6.00 per 100  
 Plus 3 per cent sale stax. Postpaid.

### GLOXINIAS

Six different colors. Top size bulbs — 2 inches and up.

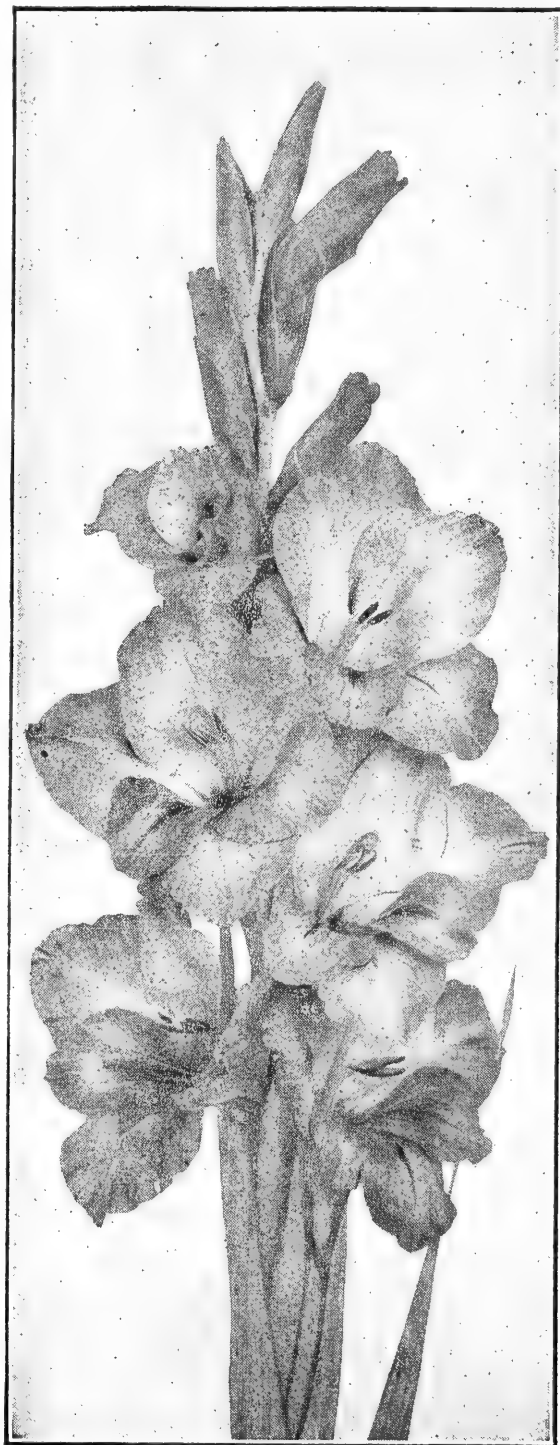
40c each — \$4.25 per doz. 3 per cent tax

### Tuberous Rooted

### BEGONIAS

From Belgium's Finest Fields

**Double Flowered Tuberous Rooted Camelia**  
**2 inch Bulbs.** Colors — Red, Salmon, Yellow,  
 White, Pink and Orange. Price 35c each —  
 \$3.50 per Dozen, Plus Tax.



### PENDULA (Hanging Basket) BEGONIAS

Colors — Scarlet, Pink, Orange, White, Yellow, Salmon

Price 50c each — \$4.80 per Dozen, Plus Tax

# A. S. & L., Dahlia Roots

Dear Dahlia Customers: Unfortunately we have lost our source of Dahlia bulbs for two consecutive years and have had to fill in as best we could on short notice.

Though our list for this spring does not contain any of the Pompon varieties, we know the decorative and cactus varieties listed below will be very satisfactory. Thanks.

## DECORATIVES AT 50c EACH

**D-Day.** Very fine pink (good cutting).  
**California Idol.** Finest light yellow.  
**Croyden Masterpiece.** Beautiful large salmon.  
**Rubelite.** Red with silver markings.  
**Odgen Reid.** Huge informal pink.  
**Dorothy Tooker.** Mammoth white suffused with pink.  
**Zants Purple Beauty.** Giant rich purple.

## DECORATIVES AT 25c EACH

**The Commodore.** Large canary yellow.  
**Mrs. George Le Boutillier.** Velvety carmine.  
**Golden Treasure.** Large golden yellow.  
**Blue River.** Best and nearest true blue.  
**Fred Springer.** Brilliant red.  
**Kemp's White Wonder.** Large snowy white.

## CACTUS VARIETIES AT 50c EACH

**Faithful** (show). Fine free blooming white.  
**All American.** Mulberry rose.  
**The Cardinal.** Dazzling current red.  
**Csa Helen.** Fine large red.  
**Pride of Holland.** One of the best pink.  
**Daughter of Venus.** Fine pure lavender.

**AS YOU ARE PROBABLY AWARE, WE ARE IMPORTERS OF A FULL LINE OF FALL BULBS SUCH AS TULIPS, HYACINTHS, NARCISSUS, CROCUS, ETC.**

In connection with the above — a lady customer last fall gave us this interesting idea! She said — “You know, I give my garden friends bulbs for Christmas presents. They thank me when they receive the bulbs. Then at Christmas time I send them an appropriate card reminding them of the gift — for which I receive another “Thank you.” Then in the Spring when the beautiful flowers appear, they call me on the telephone — to please come over and see the beautiful flowers you gave us for Christmas.” (Indeed — a 3-way “Thank you”!)

To aid the above, we hope to procure from Holland suitable Christmas cards for our customers for use for this purpose.

Allen, Sterling & Lothrop

## LAWN ACCESSORIES

## To Help You Build and Maintain a Beautiful Lawn

Please add 3% Maine Sales Tax to all items on this page.

To build a lawn — the first things first. Good loam — a rake — fertilizers (see page 48) and Sterling Quality Lawn Seeds (see inside front cover). We are also listing below some accessories which you will find helpful.

## WHEELBARROWS

Steel Tray No. 180G-B	\$11.85
Steel Tray No. 180G-1	13.00

**Evergreen Soil Soakers — Soaks soil thoroughly.** Made of porous, mildew resistant canvas. Fits any standard garden hose. Irrigates where you want it.  
18 ft. \$2.50; 30 ft. \$3.50; 50 ft. \$5.75.

**Spike Disc Cultivator** — for the aeration of lawns. 8 discs - 10" in diameter Price \$18.70

## THE CYCLONE BROADCAST SEEDER

Will sow Timothy, Clover, Oats, Wheat, Rye, Buckwheat, Red top, Hungarian Millet, and all other grains and seeds perfectly even. Regular \$5.25; heavy duty \$6.25; lawn special \$21.95.

## SPREADERS FOR SEED &amp; FERTILIZER

Jackson "Pony" 16 inch 32 lb. cap.	\$7.65
Jackson No. 25 18 inch 20 lb. cap.	10.45
Jackson No. 20T 20 inch 60 lb. cap.	17.00
Master No. 241D 75 lb. cap.	51.95
Master No. 361 120 lb. cap.	59.75
Master Handi-Cart	10.25

## GOODRICH HOSE

Garden Club Plastic 5/8" hose 25 ft. \$4.68; 50 ft. \$7.43.  
Maxecon Rubber 5/8" hose 25 ft. \$8.75; 50 ft. \$15.35.

## LAWN MOWERS

**Toro Power Line** — Send for catalogue.  
No. 700 Electric Lawn Trimmer \$29.95

## HAND MOWERS

Herschel 16" — \$34.50 18" — \$36.50

**The Best Hand Mower made!**

## GRASS SHEARS

DooKlip, Regular 202	\$2.50
DooKlip, Snip-Itt, ladies 808	1.60
DooKlip, Snip-Itt, 909	1.39
DooKlip, 101	3.50
DooKlip, Long handle, 301	5.50
Snap-Cut Pruning 119	3.25
Snap-Cut Ladies 118	2.59
Snap-Cut Pruner 319	4.25
Snap-Cut Pruner 419	2.95

## HEDGE SHEARS

Village Blacksmith 40 8"	\$3.50
Village Blacksmith Aristocrat 1 8"	4.50
Village Blacksmith Grass Wips 165	2.25
Village Blacksmith Grass Hooks or Sickles	1.39

## LAWN RAKES

Steel 14 Tooth \$3.45 — 15 Tooth Bow	\$3.75
Wood Hay \$2.50 — Wood Lawn	\$2.65
Kleen Sweep, Steel Broom	\$2.00
Maguire 18" Bamboo Broom	\$1.75
Maguire 24" Bamboo Broom	\$2.25

## LINCK'S CHICKWEED KILLER

1 oz. 50c 8 oz. \$2.95

**CRAB-NOTT. A "Selective Chick Weed and Crab Grass Killer.** It destroys Crab Grass without injury to lawn grasses.

Standard Formulae Sizes & Prices  
4 oz. treats 600 square feet \$1.00  
16 oz. treats 2400 square feet 2.95

## CRAB-NOTT . . . With "2,4-D"

For control of broadleaf weeds, such as dandelion, plantain, chickweed, ragweed, sumac, poison ivy, etc.

4 oz. treats 600 square feet \$1.25  
16 oz. treats 2400 square feet 3.50

**When April Showers don't come your way  
USE "NATURAIN"**

**The Irrigator that's "Right as Rain"**

Primary Unit comes complete with end cap and adjustable stand. \$2.95  
Extension Units \$2.75

Naturain units are 5 feet long. Built for years of Service. Made of durable aluminum and stainless steel. Naturain will not rust or discolor. No Moving Parts To Wear Out.

## INSECTICIDES AND FUNGICIDES — F.O.B. Portland, Maine

**ANTROL — African Violet Bomb.** This handy Insecticide protects house plants from sucking insects that wither and discolor African Violets and similar house plants. 6 oz. bomb 89c

**ANTROL — Kill Ants in the Nest!** Ready filled sets containing 4 feeders filled with syrup, 50c. Antrol extra feeders (each), 15c. Antrol syrup, 4 oz. bottle, 25c.

**“BLACK LEAF 40” — Look for the leaf on the package.** Destroying all sucking and many chewing insects. 2 oz. 98c; 6 oz. \$1.98; 12 oz. \$2.98.

**CARBOLA. With Lindane and Malathion.** A combined disinfectant and white wash. One pound paints, disinfects 250 sq. ft. 5 lb. \$1.12; 10 lb. \$1.87; 25 lb. \$4.59; 50 lb. \$8.32.

**CHAPERONE — Liquid.** Dogs stay away from anything sprayed with SUDBURY LIQUID CHAPERONE. Protects shrubs, trees, flowers, vegetables, garbage pails, etc. 8 oz. \$1.49; 4 oz. 89c.

**CROW REPELLENT — Stanley's.** Prevents crows, other birds and animal pests from pulling corn. Small can (enough for 1 bu corn) 75c, large can (enough for 2 bu. corn) \$1.25.

**CYANOGAS G-DUST.** Fumigant for green-houses. 5 lb. bulk tin \$4.25; 25 lb. tin \$13.75.

**CYANOGAS A-DUST.** Kills rats, wood-chucks, rodents of all kinds. Full instructions with every can. 1 lb. tin \$1.25; 5 lb. tin \$4.25.

**CYANOGAS — Ant killer.** Kills ants with least trouble — a gas producing powder — flows freely through the spout on the can — not a bait. 4 oz. can 50c

**DOGZIX.** Protects trees, shrubs, ornamentals from dogs, cats, rabbits, etc. Dogzix is a liquid and is ready for instant use. 3 oz. bottle 50c; 6 oz. 75c; 3 ozs. enough to treat 50 trees.

**EVERGREEN — Garden Spray.** Kills insects on plants such as aphids, ants, cabbage worms, rose beetles and other sucking and chewing insects. 1 oz. 40c; 6 oz. \$1.35

**GULF AEROSOL BOMBS.** Kill flies, mosquitoes, roaches, ants, flying moths. 12 oz. bomb \$1.35.

### PLANT HORMONES

**Transplantone.** One level teaspoon makes 10 gallons of solution, water your plants with Transplantone to get better roots, more vigorous growth and quality flowers. 3 oz. can \$1.

**Rootone with Fungicide.** A hormone powder easy to use, which stimulates root development. No skill is needed to apply, just dip and plant. Newly added fungicide controls damping off and other soil-borne diseases. ¼ oz. pkg. 25c; 2 oz. jar enough to treat 3,000 cuttings, \$1.00.

**Fruitone.** Hormone spray for preventing preharvest drop of apples. Holds apples on the tree longer. Fruitone sprayed on flowers produce better set of seed and fruit, such as tomatoes, and beans. 2 oz. can \$1.00; makes 25 gals of spray.

**HORMODIN — “The Root-Forming Chemical.”** Simple, economical and scientific. the Hormodin treatment of cuttings brings increased certainty to plant propagation.

**Powder No. 1.** A general-purpose powder especially good for carnations, roses, poinsettias, chrysanthemums, and similar types. 1¾ oz. tin 50c.

**Powder No. 2.** Designed for many of the woody and semi-woody types. 1¾ oz. tin 75c.

**Powder No. 3.** Designed for the more resistant species including many evergreens and dormant leafless cuttings. 1 oz. tin \$1.00.

**MAGIC STUMP REMOVER.** Drill one or two holes in stump; pour 4oz. of Stump Remover in each hole and fill with water. Let stand 4 to 6 weeks; then pour in oil or kerosene and burn. 8 oz. can \$1.50

**TRI-GEN — The All-Purpose Spray.** Especially recommended for roses, asters, snapdragons, carnations, hollyhocks, delphiniums, phlox, chrysanthemums, zinnias, golden glow, dahlias, and many other plants.

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| A. Small kit (makes 16 quarts)       | 2.50  |
| Protects 12 to 20 roses for season   |       |
| B. Medium kit (makes 64 quarts)      | 6.30  |
| Protects 50 to 80 roses for season   |       |
| C. Large kit (makes 32 gallons)      | 10.00 |
| Protects 100 to 160 roses for season |       |

**TRI-GEN DUST. Three Way Dust — Insecticide, Fungicide, Dust.** Triogen Dust contains the proper and laboratory controlled blend of DDT, Rotenone, Fermate and Sulphur to control sucking and chewing insects as well as mildew, black spot and certain blights. 8 oz. gun \$1.19; 1 lb. \$1.25; 5 lb. \$5.00



## INSECTICIDES AND FUNGICIDES — F.O.B. Portland, Maine

**CUPRINOL No. 14 — Especially for Florists.** The most widely used wood preservative for spraying and dipping flats, bench boards, stakes, etc., in the greenhouse. Reduces mildew and mold fungus — fumes non-toxic. 5 gal. can \$14.90

**CUPRINOL No. 10 — For General use.** An all purpose preservative for use above or below ground on wood such as posts, fences, poultry shelters, out-door furniture, etc. qt. \$1.75; gal. \$4.70; 5 gal. \$22.00.

**FULEX NICOTINE FUMIGATORS.** For Greenhouse. 20,000 cu. ft. size \$16.20 doz. 10,000 cu. ft. size \$9.60 doz.

We also have Fulex, Parathion, Spider Mite and Aphid Smoke fumigators in all sizes. Open stock.

**SPERGON.** — A seed protectant for dust treatment of corn, peas, beans, lima beans, soy beans and other field and vegetable seeds and bulbs. 1 lb. \$2.50

**Spergon Gladiolus Dust.** — Controls Thrip and Corm decay. A dust containing Spergon and D.D.T. to be applied to bulbs before planting or storage in the Fall.

2 oz. envelope 50c; 1 lb. container \$2.00

**Semesan.** A general disinfectant for vegetable and flower seeds or bulbs, and certain plant diseases. 4 oz. tin \$2.50; 12 oz. tin \$5.95

**New Improved Semesan Bel.** Treatment of seed potatoes will bring you more profit than ever before. This quick dip treatment has cut treating costs to 1½c to 3c per bushel of seed and gives equal or better control of seed-borne Rhizoctonia and scab than the old soak treatments. 3 oz. \$1.45

**Triox.** An Arsenical Weed Killer. Prevents plant growth for one to two years. Use on driveways, brick walks, paths, tile patios, tennis courts, parking areas, where soil can be poisoned and no plant growth is wanted. 1 quart \$1.00; 1 gallon \$3.50.

### d-CON

The new RAT and MOUSE eliminator containing WARFARIN (Univ. of Wis. discovery) and the wonder ingredient LUREX (exclusive d-Con formula).

Concentrate	8 oz. \$3.00
Ready Mixed (with Lurex)	1 lb. 1.69
Mouse Pruf	4 oz. .89

### “BLACK LEAF” WARF

**Ready Mixed — in Pelleted form**

Rats like Black Leaf Warfarin Ready Mixed Bait, made with specially selected and processed grain that never spoils. This quality product requires no artificial lures.

**Baiting should be Continued** as long as evidence of feeding is observed. Except in extremely heavy infestations this should be from five days to two weeks.

1 lb. carton 98c; 4 lb. carton \$2.98.

### SNAROL — for Slugs and Snails

Contains Metaldehyde, the best slug and snail killer known. Lures slugs and snails from plants and kills fast. Available in meal and pellet form. 1 lb. 50c; 2½ lbs. \$1.00.

### TREE TANGLEFOOT

A sticky material for banding trees, etc., prevents all destructive climbing insects from reaching buds and foliage. Unexcelled for grafting purposes. 1 lb. \$1.50; 5 lbs. \$7.00

### TREE PROTECTOR

Guards against decay, fungus and gnawing by wild animals. Easily applied with brush. Pt. can 90c.

**TREE KOTE.** An emulsion for pruning and grafting. Apply cold to fresh pruning or grafting wounds. Will adhere firmly to all surfaces. 1 pt. 65c; 1 qt. 85c; 1 gal. \$2.00

### WEEDONE — Improved

The original 2-4-D Weed Killer. Kills dandelion, plantains, poison ivy, brambles, etc. Does not kill grass. 8 oz. can \$1.00; 1 qt. \$2.75; 1 gal. \$6.75. Larger sizes available.

# Niagara Garden Products

Insectides    Fungicides    Weed Killers

**SPRAY SCHEDULES** — Please write for a complete Niagara Spray Schedule for flowers, vegetables and ornamentals. It is free for the asking.



**POMO GREEN.** For roses and ornamentals. Dust or spray. Leaf green in color, no discoloration of foliage. To control aphids, spiders, mites, beetles, chewing insects. Also black spot, mildew. Push Pull 8 oz. \$1.25; 1 lb. can \$1.45; 3 lb. can \$3.25.



**KOLO FRUIT TREE.** A dust or spray. An adhesive protecting fungicide plus DDT and Malathion. To control insects and diseases of Apple, Pear, Plum, Peach. Control worms, aphids, scab, etc.

1 lb. can \$1.25    3 lb. can \$2.15

**ROTENONE.** Dust or spray — stronger - 1% - non poisonous. For flea beetle, bean beetle, cabbage worms, squash and cucumber insects.

1 lb can 65c    3 lb. can \$1.55

**10 % DDT.** New improved formulation dust or spray. Controls a wide variety of insects, thrips, leafhopper, corn borer, cabbage worms. Controls mosquitoes around lawns and picnic areas.

1 lb. can 75c    3 lb. can \$1.55



**GARDEN DUST or SPRAY.** A safe - all around insecticide - fungicide combination for general garden use - vegetables - flowers - ornamentals. Controls beetles, worms, aphids and most diseases.

1 lb. can \$1.35    3 lb. can \$2.45



**10% CHLORDANE.** A dust or spray. Controls cutworms, cabbage maggot, root worms, ants, leaf miner, roaches, earwigs.

1 lb. can 75c    3 lb. can \$1.75



**2,4-D WEED KILLER.** Ideal for lawns. Controls dandelion plantain and broadleaf weeds. Also for poison ivy, pig weed, and ragweed. Many others.

4 oz. 75c    1 pt. \$1.35



**CHLORDANE 45 LIQUID.** A concentrated spray — which is to be diluted. To control roaches, ants, cutworms, root maggots, including cabbage maggot and wire worms. Chinch bugs and many more.

4 oz. 80c    1 pt. \$1.95

## NIAGARA SWEP — New Discovery, Garden Weed Killer

Sweep is a dry granular resembling sugar. Apply to weed free surfaces, and Sweep prevents weeds from growing. (Not for use on lawns).

Use Sweep on rose beds, hedges, evergreens, mums, dahlias, gladioli, etc. Use Sweep on snapbeans, peas, carrots, lettuce, raspberries, and many transplants. Sweep insures a weed free surface. Full directions on can. 1 lb. can \$1.45    4 lb. can \$3.29.

# GARDEN CHEMICALS

For every condition. All items non-taxable — but At Store prices.

## DU PONT CHEMICALS

**DuPont "Ammate" weed killer.** "Ammate" (ammonium sulfamate) has no equal for eradication of poison ivy. Kills brush and other weeds and aids in rotting stumps. This is the recognized chemical product for cleaning out driveways, sidewalks, and spots where tough weeds grow. One application usually cleans out worst infestations without hazard to children or pets. Easily dissolved in water for use in sprayer or sprinkling can. Helps on hard to wet plants to add small amount of duPont Spreader-Sticker.

2 lb. bag \$1.35; 6 lb. \$3.50.

**DuPont "Fermate" Ferbam Fungicide.** A black fungicide controlling many fungus diseases of roses, carnations, snapdragons, geraniums, chrysanthemums, cyclamen, tulips, apples, blueberries, pears, cherries, cranberries, and other crops.

8 oz. can \$1.10; 3 lb. \$1.77.

**DuPont "Marlate" 50 Methoxychlor insecticide.** Controls cucumber beetles, Mexican bean beetles, asparagus beetles, flea beetle, squash bugs, curculio of fruit, flies, lice and many other insects of fruit, vegetables, animals and household. One of the safest insecticides from the standpoint of objectionable residue and hazard to people.

8 oz. cannister \$1.25; 4 lb. \$3.62.

**DuPont "Parzate" Zineb Fungicide, dry.** Light yellow fluffy powder that controls early and late blight of tomatoes, potatoes and celery; leaf and petal blight of azalea and camellia; and downy mildew of cucurbits.

6 oz. cans 85c; 3 lb. cans \$3.30.

**DuPont Telvar Weed Killer.** A low toxicity, nonvolatile, nonflammable wettable powder for use in areas where it is the objective to restrict all plant growth for an extended time. Apply in water at any time during the year 20 to 40 pounds per acre. Will restrict plant growth for more than a year. Must not be used within the root area of valuable plants or in areas later to be seeded or planted to lawns, crops, shrubbery or shade trees. May be used on fence rows, lumberyards, railroads, oil terminals and storage tank farms, outdoor theatres, near highway mark-

ers and guard rails, electric power substations, pole yards, fire lanes, military installations and other areas where bare ground is desirable. 2 lb cannister \$9.00; 10 lb. drum \$49.50; 50 lb. drum \$232.50.

## BONIDE CHEMICALS

**BONIDE Rosetox.** A complete insecticide and fungicide for roses. Dust or spray.

3/8 lb. duster 75c; 1/2 lb pump gun \$1.39.

**BONIDE Tomatox.** A complete dust or spray for control of blight and insects upon tomatoes and potatoes.

7/8 lb. duster 89c; 4 lb. refills \$2.49.

**BONIDE Boncop.** A copper rotenone dust for control of blight and many insects on vegetables.

1 lb. duster 79c; 4 lb. refills \$2.15.

**BONIDE Copper Dust.** A dust used to control blight on vegetables and flowers.

1 lb. duster 60c; 4 lb. refills \$1.45.

**BONIDE Dioweed.** For weed control on lawns, golf courses, and parks. Will not injure grasses. Contains 2,4D.

1/2 pt. \$1.00; pt. \$1.75; qt. \$2.75.

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1/2 pt. \$1.25; 1 pt. \$1.98; qts. \$3.39.

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1 1/8 oz. can 50c; 3 1/2 oz. can \$1.00.

**BONIDE D D-ide.** A 20% liquid DDT combined with a wetting agent for fly and mosquito control.

1/2 pt. 79c; pts. \$1.29.

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### GERMAIN — HOTKAPS



Hotkaps protect plants against birds, insects, rain, frost, hail or wind. They force growth and bring maturity 2 to 3 weeks sooner.

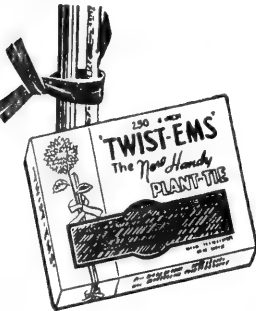
Home Package of 20 with setter \$1.05; 100 pkg. with setter 4.60; 250 pkg. with setter 7.50; 1,000 for 22.50.

### GERMAIN — HOTENTS

Hotents. Similar to Hotkaps but larger in area, taller and reinforced with wire.

100 Hotents (or under)	each \$ .10
250 Hotents	20.00
500 Hotents	36.10
Hotents Setter	each 3.25

### GERMAIN — TWIST-EMS



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Scares birds, dogs, cats, and other pests away from the garden. 10 Flying Disks to a package. 35c

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Why try to grow plants in soil you're not sure of, when it's so easy to test it and make needed corrections?

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Kill easily, safely, thoroughly. Here's how Pesky worker ants take quickly to deadly bait in the Ant Cup. Worker Ants (having become gorged) promptly disgorge the syrup to the ants in the nest who partake of it and are quickly exterminated.

Just soften the contents with a few drops of water and place wherever ants are found

Price 25c

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There are two outstanding reasons for buying Planet Jr. Implements. First — they do their work in the most efficient way. Second — they keep on working long after cheaper and less efficient equipment is worn out and discarded.

No. 17 Wheel Hoe	18.60
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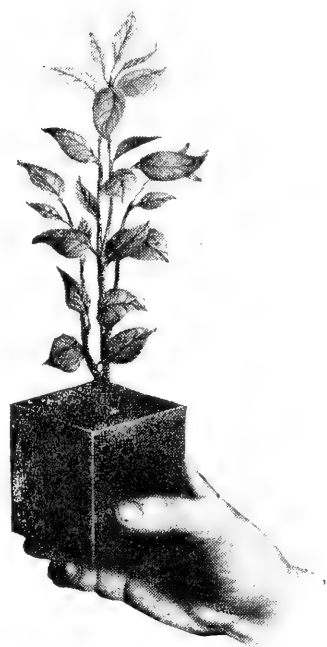


## BIRD Retail Products



**Bird Vita-green Pots.** Bird Vita-Green Pots disintegrate purposely — but not until your plants are transplanted, free from transplant shock. Then, as the pot becomes part of the earth, Vita nutrient feeds the plant — promotes luxurious growth. 2¼ in. 89c; 3 in. \$1.39 pkg of 48.

**Vita Bands.** You get better plants because Vita-Bands eliminate transplant shock by containing roots until transplant time. Vita nutrient feeds plant during initial growth. There's no nitrogen depletion of soil. Plants mature 7 to 10 days earlier. 1½" to 2" 1c each. 2½" to 4" 2c each.



### PEAT POTS

Special ingredient gives added rigidity — helps prevent breakage during shipping and handling. Roots penetrate freely after initial watering. Rugged rim makes handling easier. Nutrient promotes healthy growth. For annuals, bedding plants, vegetable plants.

2¼" rd. 7.25	) in lots
3" rd. 13.40	
2 1/8" sq. 7.50	) 1,000
3" sq. 14.50	
	only



### GRO-TAINERS

Just look at these many advantages: Bird Gro-tainers are molded from hard durable fibre. They're sturdy and rigid. Flange around top provides extra strength, permits easy handling. Bird Gro-tainers may be used with Bird Vita-Bands. No. 2 size holds six 2" Vita-Bands; No. 3 holds twelve 1¾" Vita-Bands; No. 4 holds twelve 2" Vita-Bands. All three sizes packed 200 per case. 10c ea. all sizes.

Complete with 12 bands 20c ea.

### NEW SQUARE BIRD PEAT POTS

Serve a real need among home gardeners, — one package contains twelve three inch square Bird Peat Pots, the other package contains twelve two and one eighth inch square Pots.

3" 69c package

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### CUTWORM COLLARS

These cutworm collars set up in an instant. Unlike other methods of control, they provide a tough physical barrier that gives full season protection against cutworms, for tomato, cabbage, lettuce and other plants.

24 collars per package 39c per package

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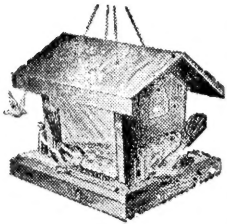
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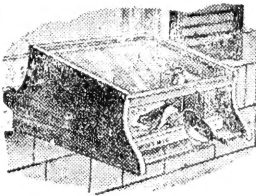


An aerial oasis and super deluxe bird restaurant combined. Large picture window encloses seed reservoir, permitting visible check on supply. 4 point suspension reduces spillage.

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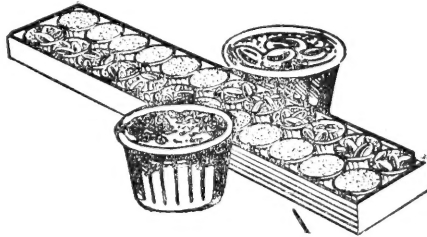
#### BIRD CAFE

W-16 \$5.95. Clear view glass top protects food and permits you to see the birds in action. Stained woodsy brown. Bird Seed and two Hydrcakes attaches easily from inside to windowsill. Height 8 in. depth 16 in. length 16 in. Also available in 8x11x25 size W-25 \$6.95. Hydrcakes each 39c.



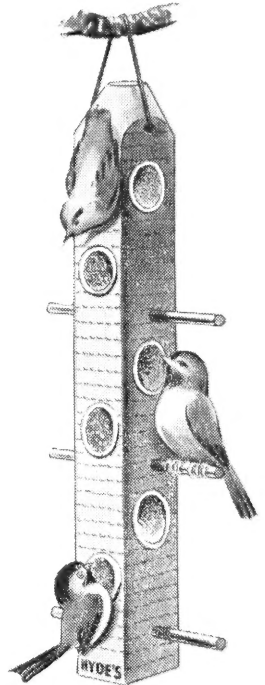
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(Mineral Rich)

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Plain, Dried, Cow Manure free of  
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Clean, odorless and convenient to handle.

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An old favorite fertilizer for  
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For Beautiful Lawns

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lbs. \$5.00.

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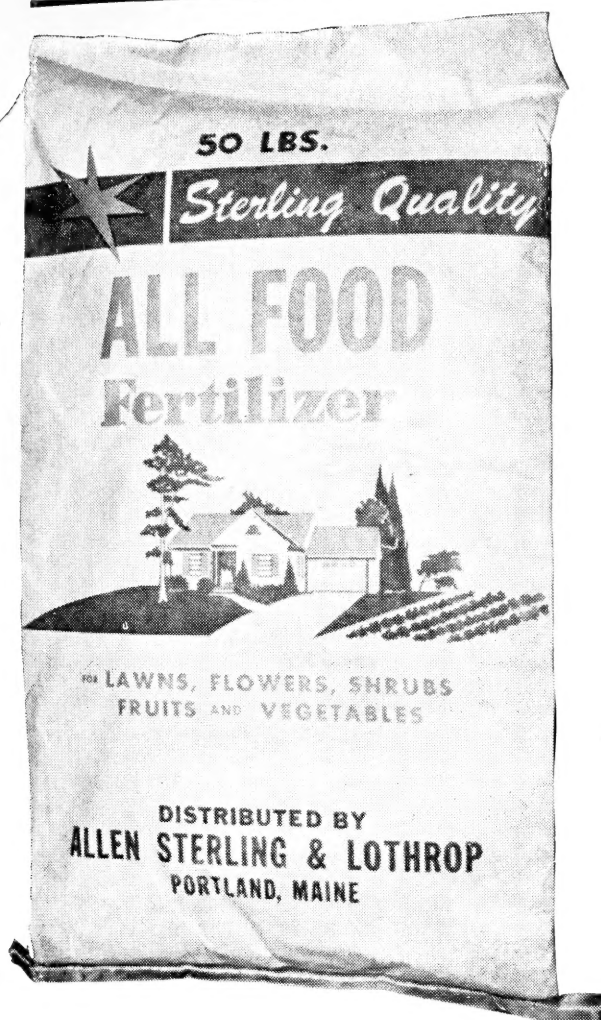
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Directions for use on bag. For lawns approximately 4 lbs. to 100 square feet.

This remarkable fertilizer is mixed only for us by the Sagadahoc Fertilizer Company according to our own specifications.

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## Truly a Sterling Quality Product

### Prices at Store:

50-lb. bag, \$2.75;

25-lb. bag, \$1.75

10-lb. bag, 90c;

5-lb. bag, 50c



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**Bowdoinham, Maine**

**Maine Fertilizers for Maine Farms**

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**A New Special 8-6-2 "Greenturf Food"—Organic Base**  
(50-lb. Bags Only)

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#### For Potatoes

8-16-16, 2% Water sol. Magnesia

8-12-12, 2% Water sol. Magnesia

5-10-10, 2% Water sol. Magnesia

#### For Corn, Beans and Lettuce

5-10-5, 1% Water sol. Magnesia

5-15-10, 1% Water sol. Magnesia

5-20-10, 1% Water sol. Magnesia

### GRADES

#### For Vegetables and Potatoes

5-8-7, 1% Water sol. Magnesia

#### For Orchards

10-10-10, 2% Water sol. Magnesia

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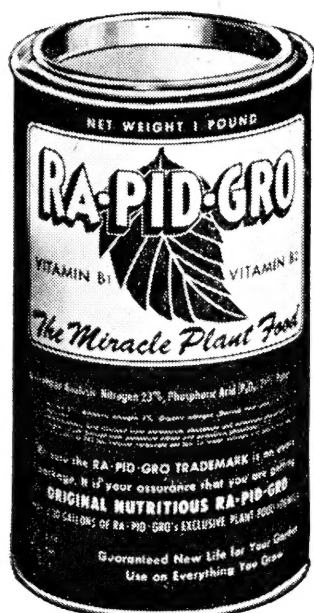
0-20-20 1% Water sol. Magnesia

Goods packed in 80-lb. paper bags.

**PLEASE NOTE: ALL GRADES CONTAIN WATER SOLUBLE MAGNESIA**



# RA-PID-GRO



Analysis 23-21-17  
Plus Trace Elements,  
Vitamins and Hormones

## Quick, Easy Way to Feed Plants

Simply dissolve RA-PID-GRO in water at the rate of 1 teaspoon per quart (or 1 tablespoon per gallon) and spray or sprinkle this solution all over your plants. It feeds right thru the buds, stems, leaves and what drips onto the ground feeds the roots. Use RA-PID-GRO regularly on Roses, Flowers, Lawns and all other plants. Contains trace elements so many plants need!

### RETAIL PRICE LIST

By Parcel Post—Add Charges

Amt. Water		Amt. Water	
Price	Added	Price	Added
2 ozs. ....	\$0.25	15 qts. ....	5 lbs. ....
6 ozs. ....	.50	45 qts. ....	10 lbs. ....
8 ozs. ....	.75	15 gals. ....	25 lbs. (drum) ..
1 lb. ....	1.30	30 gals. ....	25 lbs. (bag) ..
2 lbs. ....	2.50	60 gals. ....	50 lbs. (bag) ..
			150 gals. ....
			300 gals. ....
			750 gals. ....
			750 gals. ....
			1500 gals. ....

## RA-PID-GRO is a FORMULA

Becomes a Plant Food When Water is Added

## USE RA-PID-GRO ALL YEAR LONG

**JAN.** For House Plants and Greenhouses.

**FEB.** For House Plants and Greenhouses.

**MAR.** Gives any garden a fast start.

**APR. } For Lawns, Trees, Roses, Shrubs**  
**MAY } and Transplanting.**

**JUNE** For luxuriant foliage—bigger, better blooms.

**JULY } Foliar Feeding makes this a peak**  
**AUG. } selling season!**

**SEPT.** Peps up fall bloom. Also used in fall planting.

**OCT.** Treat Dutch bulbs and prepare all plants for winter.

**NOV.** For House Plants and Greenhouses.

**DEC.** Very popular Christmas gift.

# Fast! Easy! Safe! Sure!

NO OTHER PLANT FOOD HAS ALL THESE FEATURES

### Acts Fast

RA-PID-GRO enters plants almost immediately. Fast results make customers completely satisfied.

### Leaves No Residue

Leaves no harmful deposit on flowers, foliage. All ingredients become clear liquid.

### Easy To Apply

Spray or sprinkle on plants. Easily applied by spray equipment, or watering can.

### Repeat Sales!

Shows such good results that folks who use it once come back for more.

### Non-Burning

Doesn't injure plants even in hot weather if used according to instructions.

### Feeds Plants 6 Ways

Feeds all plants directly thru the leaves, stems, buds, bark, blooms. Also nourishes entire plant thru roots.

### Apply With Insecticides

Mixes readily with all popular insecticides, fungicides and herbicides.

### Fast Service

Your order shipped same day received (except for carload lots).

### 100% Soluble

Dissolves instantly. Leaves no sediment to clog sprayers.

### Clean, Odorless

RA-PID-GRO solution is pale green. The dry crystals and the solution are clean, free of unpleasant odor.

### Feeds All Plants

Ideal for lawns, trees, Roses, shrubs, evergreens, annuals, perennials, vegetables and all types of indoor plants.

### Sold Since 1938

The first liquid plant food sold. Steady growth proves reliability of our product.

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